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VESSEL FROM CHINA

Customs officials alerted defence authorities about the Malta-flagged merchant ship. The cargo was halted on January 23 for inspection. Investigation showed that it was shipped by Taiyuan Mining Import and Export and was meant for Cosmos Engineering in Pakistan | P11

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Modi, Shah in BJP's first list of 195 candidates

4 dropped in Delhi; Sushma's daughter gets in; Rajeev Chandrasekhar fielded from T'puram

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR
@ New Delhi

PRIME Minister Narendra Modi, Home Minister Amit Shah and Defence Minister Rajnath Singh were among the 195 candidates the BJP announced in its first list for the Lok Sabha polls. Modi, Shah, and Singh will seek repeat mandates from Varanasi, Gandhinagar and Lucknow, respectively.

There was a major shake-up in the Delhi list as the party dropped four of its five sitting MPs. The axe fell on Ramesh Bidhuri, Parvesh Verma, Meenakshi Lekhi and Harsh Vardhan, but Manoj Tiwari got to contest from North East Delhi. The party fielded Bansuri Swaraj, daughter of late BJP leader Sushma Swaraj from New Delhi, Kamaljeet Sehrawat from West Delhi, MLA Ramvir Singh Bidhuri from South Delhi, Praveen Khadelwal from Chandni Chowk. Also, Sadhvi Pragya Thakur was dropped from Bhopal.

The most interesting candidature was of Union minister Rajeev Chandrasekhar from Thiruvananthapuram, where Shashi Tharoor is the sitting Congress MP. Contrary to speculation, the BJP stayed with Smriti Irani from Amethi. The first list has 47 candidates, who are under 50 years of age, besides 28 are women. BJP national general secretary Vinod Tawade said 57 of the 195 candidates belong to OBC, while 27 to the SC and 18 to the ST communities.

Anil Antony — son of Congress stalwart A K Antony — has been fielded from Pathanamithitta in Kerala. Union minister V Muraleedharan will enter the fray from Attingal. Former Madhya Pradesh CM Shivraj Singh Chauhan will enter the fray from Vidisha, while Jyotiraditya Scindia will contest from Guna. In all, 34 Union ministers figure on the first list. Bhojpuri singer Pawan Singh has been fielded from Asansol to take on TMC MP Shatrughan Sinha. The list included Hema Malini, Ravi Kishan and Dinesh Nerahua.

KARNATAKA BJP CANDIDATES' LIST BY NEXT WEEK

The BJP is expected to announce the names of its candidates from Karnataka for the Lok Sabha polls within a week. The Karnataka unit will meet on Sunday to shortlist names. "We had assigned two observers to each Lok Sabha constituency, who have interacted with local leaders and come up with three to five names of probable candidates," BJP state president BY Vijayendra said.

Additional Commissioner of Police (East) Raman Gupta briefs Chief Minister Siddaramaiah, during his visit to The Rameshwaram Cafe's Brookefield branch in Bengaluru on Saturday | ALLEN EGENUSE J

> **We will rise again like a phoenix. Such incidents will make us stronger. We firmly believe that no force can dampen the spirit of our nation. We have decided to reopen our Brookfield outlet within a week of the unfortunate incident, which is on the auspicious day of Mahashivratri (next Friday)**
>
> — Raghavendra Rao, Co-founder and CEO, The Rameshwaram Cafe

Cops trace cafe bomber, CCB to investigate case

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

A day after the bomb blast at The Rameshwaram Cafe in the city, police officers investigating the case have zeroed in on the suspect aged between 30 and 35 after analysing the CCTV footage.

The case has been handed over to the Central Crime Branch (CCB) for investigation under ACP Naveen Kulkarni.

In the footage, the alleged bomber is seen wearing a shirt, black trousers and black shoes. Carrying a black backpack and holding a cell phone with his left hand, the suspect entered the cafe at 11.34 am and left by 11.50 am.

The police suspect that the alleged bomber might be part of an organised gang that had done a recce of the place earlier. The suspect is seen ordering food at the cash counter of the cafe by paying cash. After eating rava idlis, he is seen hurriedly leaving the cafe after placing the bag containing the IED near the wash basin closet.

According to sources, the accused had taken enough precautions to conceal his identity by wearing a cap and a mask. He is said to have set the timer of the IED at 12.55 pm so that he had enough time to leave the city and target more people as it was lunch time.

The investigating officers are probing all angles, including a possible business rivalry. P5

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The ace political strategist will participate in an interaction at ITC Kakatiya Hotel in Begumpet from 4 pm to 6 pm | P7

Tripartite pact to end Tripura tribal row

PRASANTA MAZUMDAR @ Guwahati

THE Centre on Saturday signed an agreement with the Tripura government and the state's principal opposition party, the TIPRA Motha, towards finding a solution to the problems faced by the state's indigenous tribal population–Tiprasa.

The pact was signed in New Delhi after a series of meetings between the Centre, TIPRA Motha and other stakeholders. It was agreed to resolve all issues relating to history, land and political rights, economic development, identity, culture and language of the indigenous people.

It was also agreed to form a joint working group to work out and implement the mutually-agreed points in a time-bound manner. Till then, all stakeholders will refrain from resorting to any form of protest or agitation in order to maintain a conducive atmosphere.

Union home minister Amit Shah, who was present during the signing of the agreement, said it was a historic day for Tripura. "With this agreement, we have honoured history, corrected mistakes in history and accepted the realities of today," Shah said. Chief Minister Manik Saha was also present when the tripartite agreement was signed. "Nobody can change history but we can always move forward by learning from mistakes and keeping in mind today's realities. I am happy that TIPRA Motha and all tribal parties played a constructive role in this direction," he said.

Saturday's signing of the agreement followed TIPRA Motha chief Pradyot Kishore Manikya Debbarma's fast-unto-death stir. He was giving a speech on Wednesday during a stir demanding "Greater Tipraland" state, when he got a call from Delhi inviting him for talks.

EXPRESS READ

RLD's Jayant Singh formally joins NDA

NEW DELHI: Rashtriya Lok Dal (RLD) leader Jayant Singh met Union Home Minister Amit Shah and BJP national president JP Nadda on Saturday, as he formally joined the ruling National Democratic Alliance.

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Kalavathi interacts with other Koraga women, as part of her thesis - 'Koraga PVTG - Socio-Cultural Study'

STRIFE TO STRIVE

Kalavathi beats the odds to become the second woman from the marginalised Koraga community to receive a doctorate

PRAKASH SAMAGA @ Udupi

FOR some, the fear of failure isn't an adversity, and a lack of opportunity opens the window for that very opportunity to persevere and shine. Kalavathi's story is the epitome of going against all odds and rising to the podium in the race of life.

A woman from the particularly vulnerable tribal group (PVGT) - the Koragas - Kalavathi hails from Karje village in Brahmavara taluk of Udupi district. She recently received a PhD from Kannada University, Hampi, becoming only the second woman from the marginalised community to achieve this feat. Last year, Sabitha Gundmi, assistant professor, department of sociology, Mangalore University, had received a PhD, emerging as the first Koraga woman to receive a doctoral degree.

Life lessons

Kalavathi's life journey was never a bed of roses. She was even jailed once, for participating in the 'Kalathhur Bhoomi Horata' -- a Koraga movement, demanding government land for the community, a decade ago. Highlighting her struggles, Kalavathi tells TNSE that the situation at home was never conducive for her to continue education. "My father, late Gumbala Koraga, succumbed to cancer on the day I had to write my SSLC examination. So I had to appear for re-examination and completed my SSLC. My family members were helpless when I expressed my interest in continuing my studies. However, my sister, brother-in-law and mother did support me when I finally decided to go ahead with my plan to study further. In fact, I even worked at a factory for two years, before I could continue my education. Then I joined PUC, passing my Second PU in 2004 in first class. As I did not get a government seat in a DEd course, I again had to work in a cashew factory. Later, with the support of Palli Gokul Das, former president of the Federation of Koraga Development Associations, I enrolled myself in a BSW course at the School of Social Work, Roshni Nilaya, Mangaluru. Life has been a tumultuous journey for me, yet I am a woman who never gives up," expresses Kalavathi.

So far, four members of the Koraga community have received PhDs. They include Babu Koraga from Belthangady, Dakshina Kannada district, who was the first to receive a doctorate in 2011. As mentioned earlier, Sabitha received it last year, followed by her husband, Dinakar Kenjoor, who received his PhD early this year. Kalavathi is the fourth person from the community to receive a PhD.

Kalavathi did her primary education in Sooralu, and completed high school in Kokkarne. She pursued her PU education from St Mary's PU College, Shirva, before pursuing and completing her BSW in 2008. She married Shailendra Kumar of Mysuru in 2013. "My husband supported me when I wanted to complete my MA and PhD, as well," she says.

Kalavathi did her MA from Kannada University, Hampi, before pursuing her PhD with the help of her guide -- Dr KM Metry, HOD, Department of Studies and Research in Sociology, Kannada University. Her PhD thesis was on 'Koraga PVTG - Socio-Cultural Study'.

Empathy and social change drove Kalavathi since childhood, and her participation in community development activities furthered her zeal to vie for an academic future. "I was one among 29 people, who were jailed during the Kalathhur Bhoomi Horata," she recalls. After her BSW course in 2008, she went to work with various social organisations in Mysuru. Today, she is happy to have received a PhD through her hardwork and dedication.

Dr Metry informs TNSE that Kalavathi could pursue her PhD through help from the national fellowship she received from the Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Government of India. Thanks to the fellowship, there was no financial burden on her, while she pursued her PhD. Being a tribal woman herself, her research methodology delved deep into the life of her fellow Koraga people. She could present a comprehensive thesis based on complete information, he says. Kalavathi successfully cleared the viva voce for PhD in November 2023, and was awarded the doctorate the following month.

Confidence to conquer English

Spoken English programme introduced in select schools has empowered students to speak the language without fear...

PRAKASH SAMAGA @ Udupi

WHILE it is true that English is just a language and not a measure of intelligence, knowing the language opens a window of endless opportunities. For the students of several government-run and aided Kannada medium schools in Uttara Kannada, Udupi, and Dakshina Kannada districts, a novel initiative has helped them speak the language fluently.

For the students of 291 government and aided primary schools in Brahmavara, Bantwal, Sullia, and Bhatkal and eight government high schools in Brahmavara, the earlier setback of lack of motivation to converse in English has been defeated – thanks to the spoken English classes and the English Fest initiative.

The brain behind this initiative is 43-year-old Uday Kota, block resource person, Brahmavar. Kota, who is the programme's mentor, has put in meticulous efforts to make this initiative a success. He contacted the interested government and aided school teachers in Brahmavara in 2021 in Brahmavara block. Then teachers from 25 government schools showed interest in this initiative and they were trained by Kota. Soon, Spoken English Classes and the English Fest initiative were introduced in those 25 schools on a pilot basis.

The saga did not stop there and the enthusiasm started to spread. In the 2022-23 academic year, the number of schools conducting these activities rose to 45. This academic year (2023-24), as many as 291 government and aided primary schools and eight government high schools have introduced this initiative.

Kota told The New Sunday Express that initially, he thought of this only for schools in Brahmavara block. But demand by teachers of the other districts motivated him to take this initiative to schools there.

In Dakshina Kannada, school teachers in Bantwal and Sullia taluks have been trained by Kota. In Uttara Kannada, teachers in schools from Bhatkal taluk have been trained by him. The initiative has been successfully introduced in the schools there too.

(Top) Teachers and students celebrate 'English Fest' at a school in Udupi district. Uday Kota mentors government higher primary school students in the district | EXPRESS

Teachers from schools in Belthangady taluk have also expressed their wish to implement this project and the orientation programme will begin soon for them.

Kota said that he has received the cooperation of teachers, officials of the education department and the parents as well.

Elaborating on the initiative, Kota said a formal inauguration programme is held at the beginning of every academic year in the schools. The teachers are told to conduct school assemblies in English. Even the parents'-teachers' meetings are conducted in English. Students speak English during various school programmes. Once a week, 'English Day' is celebrated. Science experiments are explained in the English language. Students are also motivated to interview local achievers in English.

Students are made to visit public places where they will collect information and take notes in English. Teachers also create opportunities for students during the programmes in the schools wherein students are asked to deliver speeches in English. English teaching and learning materials are displayed in the exhibition conducted once a year. Schools then celebrate 'Spoken English Fest' at the end of the academic year. Through all these activities, students not only do away with the fear of speaking in English but also show full confidence.

On how he is executing this initiative throughout the academic year, Kota said that he created separate WhatsApp groups for each education block and there the teachers are provided with innovative learning ideas. He then conducts the 'Teacher Interaction Programme' every Sunday. In this, all the teachers are made to learn how to involve themselves in activities that enable students to learn English with ease. Kota says that he is proud that students who have strong bonds of their mother tongue Kannada, are easily learning communication skills in English as well. In all, 20,755 students are benefitting from this initiative in various schools in this region.

Kota adds that he is happy that what he started as a launching pad for the students in Brahmvara is spreading to neighbouring taluks and districts as well. He also said that recently teachers from as many as 50 schools in Honnavara block have decided to implement this initiative and the orientation programme for teachers has been already scheduled.

Shreshta, a Class 6 student at Government Higher Primary School, Saralebettu, Brahmavara block, says that apart from enabling her to speak fluent English, the initiative has also helped her build confidence. ''The annual English Fest has reduced my stage fear too," she adds.

CM Siddaramaiah and Housing Minister BZ Zameer Ahmed Khan at a function organised by Karnataka Slum Development Board to distribute houses to beneficiaries of PMAY in Bengaluru on Saturday | EXPRESS

Urban housing projects to help end slums: DyCM

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

DEPUTY Chief Minister, and Bengaluru Development Minister DK Shivakumar, on Saturday, said that food, housing, health and education are the primary focus of the Congress-led Karnataka government.

Speaking at an event organised to distribute homes to the homeless at KR Puram, he said, "It was Indira Gandhi who brought the concept of free houses for the poor in the country. The Housing Department has given an additional grant of Rs 5 lakh as many people expressed inability to pay the amount under the Rajiv Gandhi Housing scheme."

"While we are giving all the support, the BJP government at the Centre, has levied GST on houses for the poor. How can the poor pay a GST of Rs 1.26 lakh?," he questioned. "Our government has decided to end slums in the cities, and hence, we have added the urban housing projects in this year's budget as well. It was the Congress party that started the schemes to give rice, land and houses to the poor. Prime Minister Narendra Modi is simply copying our welfare schemes," he added.

As the BJP and JDS have ridiculed the state government on its 'guarantee scheme', Shivakumar said,

"Let them say whatever they want. The state government will continue to provide welfare schemes including, giving free houses. Even some BJP leaders are vouching for our guarantee schemes," said Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar.

He also praised Housing Minister BZ Zameer Ahmed Khan for his work, and stated that he is working hard to help the poor, and lauded Hubballi MLA Prasad Abbaiah, who is the Chairman of Karnataka Slum Development Corporation, for speeding up the process and handing over slum homes to beneficiaries. Former Minister and KR Puram MLA Byrathi Basavaraj and officials of the slum development board and Karnataka housing department were present at the event.

HC: Child care full-time job, hubby must pay wife

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

REJECTING the contention of the husband who made his wife quit her lecturer's post to take care of their children, that she is qualified and can earn a living, after she claimed maintenance, the Karnataka High Court directed the husband to pay Rs 36,000 per month as maintenance to the wife.

Justice M Nagaprasanna directed the husband, who works as manager at Canara Bank, to pay Rs 36,000 per month, modifying the order passed by the sessions court in June 2023 at Anekal, to pay Rs 18,000. The 41-year-old woman had sought Rs 36,000 for herself and the two children.

The court said maintenance has to be awarded to the wife and children, commensurate to the cost of living or if they continued living with the husband. The sessions court had undoubtedly erred in directing maintenance of only Rs 18,000 per month, on the grounds put forth by the husband that the wife was qualified and can earn a living.

Terming the husband's contention that the wife is lazing around and not earning as "preposterous", the court observed that it is a trite law that merely because the wife is qualified, she is barred from seeking any maintenance. Every case has to be considered on merit. The wife, as homemaker and mother, works indefatigably round the clock. Taking care of children is a full-time job, the court said.

The husband also contended that the wife was not dutiful towards him, and was quarrelsome, and that his job was inconsistent.

Terming it misleading and mischievous, the court said the husband is an employee at Canara Bank, working in the cadre of manager, and it was not a job that can be taken away, like pink slips issued by private employers. The court observed that a dutiful mother is on a higher pedestal than a dutiful wife. On the birth of the first child, the woman was asked to leave her job. When the second child was born, the wife completely quit employment to take care of the children.

All was well till the relationship turned sour. Once maintenance was sought, the husband alleged that the wife was not willing to work and earn money, though she was qualified, and wanted to live on maintenance paid by the husband.

Arvind Srivastava new GM of SWR

Bengaluru: Arvind Srivastava has taken over as General Manager of South Western Railway Zone. An official release by the South Western Railways, said that Srivastava assumed charge on Friday (March 1) and succeeds Sanjeev Kishore who had his superannuation a day earlier.

Srivastava was the Principal Chief Materials Manager of South Eastern Railway Zone in Kolkata before his posting in Hubballi. He has an association with Indian Railways spanning over three and half decades and has served in Eastern Railway, Kolkata; Diesel Locomotive Works, Varanasi; Railway Board, New Delhi; Rail Wheel Factory, Bengaluru and South Eastern Railway, Kolkata in different capacities.

Tankers, treated water to keep BBMP parks green this summer

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

THE horticultural wing of the Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) held a meeting to devise a plan to chalk out a strategy to take care of 1,000-odd parks under its limits to tide over the harsh summer months till the end of May. The meeting involved the horticulture superintendent, supervisor, inspectors, and other officials.

According to officials, separate water tankers will be deployed and borewells are being cleaned in a few parks. Additional tractors will be engaged to water the saplings at least once daily to ensure they survive. Speaking to *TNSE*, MR Chandrashekhar, Deputy Director, BBMP Horticulture Department said, "Horticulture Department officials in every zone have been instructed to service the borewells at parks. Apart from using tractors with a capacity of 6,000 litres, the Palike will also use treated water."

The officials have also held talks with BWSSB and treated water will be purchased from the board.

The official also added that as groundwater has plummeted in several of its parks, the Palike is working on installing 1,000 percolation pits in over 110 parks. By next summer, the official added that these parks will have sufficient water as the groundwater table is likely to shoot up.

Govt will take over water tankers to ease crisis in city: DKS

Bengaluru: To alleviate the water crisis in Bengaluru, the state government will be taking over the private water tankers who supply water from borewells, said Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar, while addressing the media at his residence here on Saturday. "There is a massive shortage of water in Bengaluru, and BBMP and BWSSB officials are meeting daily, to come up with effective solutions to handle the crisis," he assured. He added that Bengaluru is facing one of its worst water crises even before peak summer, and to tackle the same, all private tankers have been directed to register with the government by March 7. Expressing confidence that the government will relieve the water crisis, Shivakumar said that a meeting has been called for on Monday, to discuss the matter and find concrete solutions. He also added that a grant of Rs 10 crore has been released from his department, to all city constituencies, to address the crisis.

LEAD THE WAY

Shibulal: Public schools need improvement

ENS @ Bengaluru

FOR children to get access to quality education as a fundamental right, public schools in the country have to improve; and for schools to improve, the education leaders have to own and lead the process of improvement, said SD Shibulal, Co-Founder of Infosys and Founder of ShikshaLokam.

He was speaking at the InvokED 3.0–a Global Dialogue on Education Leadership organised by his foundation at the National Institute of Advanced Studies on March 1 and 2 which aims to shape an education movement so that all children in India can dream, learn and succeed.

"Public schools need continuous support and resources to improve. However, achieving this vision requires collective action from all engaged in the learning outcomes. ShikshaLokam was founded to effectuate a virtuous cycle of leadership development, building momentum for this movement towards education equity through its programmes, solutions and digital infrastructure. Today, our reach spans across 27 Indian states and UTs, with over 5,70,000 education leaders in more than a million schools across the nation," Shibulal added.

This year's edition focused on how collective leadership and efforts can power India's journey towards equity in education. With over 32 distinguished speakers in various panel discussions, interactive sessions and exchange of creative ideas, the goal was to provide a 2030 roadmap for education in India, especially in the K-12 bracket.

Double Engine-Speed-Economy

The double engine government of Uttar pradesh has focused equally on providing ease of doing business and ease of living in the state. It has performed exceedingly well in the implementation of PM Jan Dhan Yojana, PM SVANidhi Yojana, PM Mudra Yojana, Pradhan Mantri Jeevan Jyoti Bima Yojana etc thereby securing top rank in the country. Rules and regulations have been simplified for the tax payers. The conducive environment available to the banks and other financial institutions have helped them to increase their services. The state has emerged as revenue surplus state with its prudent management and maintaining financial discipline. No doubt, the per capita income and gross domestic product has doubled in the last 7 years.

Uttar Pradesh, a revenue-surplus state

Second rank in ITR filing

2014	2023
1.65 lakh	12 lakhs

SGST/VAT collection

Year 2016-17
₹51,883 Crore

2022-23
₹1.25 Lakh Crore

Banks Loan Distribution

- 2016-17: Rs 1,37,452 crore
- 2022-23: Rs 3,00,430 crore
- 2023-24 (till December): Rs 2,98,551 crore

Loan Distributed under PM Mudra Yojana in the Year 2022-23 (Categorywise)

- Shishu: Rs 16,291 Crore
- Kishore: Rs 18,741 Crore
- Tarun: Rs 12,396 Crore

Banking Business

2016-17
Rs 12.80 lakh crore

2023 24
Rs 26.80 lakh crore

Share in raising funds from Banks/Financial Institutions

2013-14
1.1%

2022-23
16.2%

- The government waived loans worth Rs 36,000 crore of 86 lakh farmers
- 59% credit-deposit (CD) ratio achieved in 2023-24, set an ambitious goal to elevate it to 65% in 2024-25
- 4.59 crore new beneficiaries added under Pradhan Mantri Suraksha Bima Yojana since 2017 till now, 5.54 crore total enrollments
- 1.67 crore new beneficiaries added under Pradhan Mantri Jeevan Jyoti Bima Yojana Since 2017, the total enrollment is 1.90 crore.
- Services of 2.28 lakh Bank Mitras and BC Sakhis
- Provision of Rs 2400 crore for Twarit Arthik Vikas Yojana
- 19,705 bank branches and more than 17,852 ATMs operational
- More than 1.80 lakh Jan Seva Kendra operational in gram panchayats
- Co-operative banks disbursed over Rs 8,787 crore as short-term loans in the fiscal year 2023-24

Leading state of the country with digital transactions worth Rs 1,174.32 crore

Distribution of loans worth Rs 2,412 crore under PM SVANidhi Yojana

More than 9 crore bank accounts opened under PM Jan-Dhan Yojana

Highest number of traders registered in GST in the country

- Co-operative banks disbursed over Rs 257 crore as long-term loans in the fiscal year 2023-24
- Cooperative banks have allocated Rs 525 crore to provide loans to farmers at low interest rates
- Banks distributed loans worth Rs 2.06 lakh crore under the Annual Loan Distribution Scheme in the first 6 months of 2023
- Mukhyamantri Durghatna Bima Yojana provides maximum assistance of Rs 10 lakh in case of death or disability
- Maximum assistance of Rs 5 lakh under Mukhyamantri Sukshma Udhyami Durghatna Bima Yojan
- Credit cards distributed to more than 4.18 lakh cattle farmers
- 1.18 crore nominations under Atal Pension Yojana
- Adoption of 150 Vantangiya villages for development works including 75 smart classes under rural development programme.

NAYE UP KI PEHCHAN – SURKASHA, SAMRIDHHI EVAM SUSHASHAN

Senior BJP leader K S Eshwarappa dared Chief Minister Siddaramaiah to table the caste census report before the cabinet and discuss it. Terming the report as being "unscientific", he said it will spill hatred among the people of different communities

'GUARANTEES WILL NOT BANKRUPT KARNATAKA'

Despite a 20% hike in excise duty the prices of cheap liquor from where 95% of revenue comes from in Karnataka, is lower compared to neighbouring states

LK Atheeq, Additional Chief Secretary to the CM

IN his longest budget speech of 3.15 hours, Chief Minister Siddaramaiah, who holds the finance portfolio, presented the state budget for the year 2024-25, with an outlay of Rs 3,71,383 crore. The borrowing for this year has crossed Rs 1 lakh crore, which is the highest ever. Senior IAS officer (1991 batch), LK Atheeq, Additional Chief Secretary to the Chief Minister and also ACS Finance, who earlier served as senior adviser to World Bank and also as Joint Secretary Prime Minister's office during Manmohan Singh's tenure, explains the preparations of the Budget right from the beginning, priorities, guarantee scheme implementation, challenges and more. Excerpts:

Can you explain the exercise of Budget preparations?
The actual budget preparation in the finance department starts in November. The committed expenditures include actual and committed expenditures. The actual expenditures include salaries, loan interest payments, administrative expenses and pensions. These are some things that have to be paid. The committed expenditures cannot be done away with, like scholarships and social security pensions. After all these are calculated, estimates are given to the departments, under which they are told to make proposals. Once they come back, we also do an analysis of all salaries etc, to make sure there are adequate provisions. Then the CM (also the finance minister) starts reviewing the whole budget from January. We have a series of meetings with the departments, who propose their wish lists. We look at them during the first round of consultation meetings with the CM, and the concerned ministers and their department officials. Some good proposals are included. During the second round of discussions, which happens in January-end, we start finalising the schemes. From January 20 onwards, we start to write the budget speech.

So is it final then?
The budget speech is the main document which comes out. We do a series of re-readings. That time, we also take a look at the political components and things from the manifesto that can be incorporated. We do consultations with stakeholders. The speech goes for printing, the night before the budget presentation is done.

How do you prioritise what has to be included, as each department makes its proposals?
Largely, some of its commitments are already made as each department has its own size. So, little bit of reprioritization does happen and this depends on the outlook of the ruling government, political mandate, the CM and their priorities. Like CM Siddaramaiah focuses on welfare schemes heavily. So we look at the budgets of social welfare, agriculture and farming sectors very carefully.

You have worked with the Prime Minister's Office (PMO). How was the experience?
PMO is much more organised compared to the CMO. The contact with the public was also less. It was great to work with Prime Minister Manmohan Singh. The budget of the Centre is in the domain of the finance ministry and we (PMO) would not get into budget-making as the PM used to tell us not to get into their kitchen.

As the Karnataka government introduced five guarantees, how challenging was it to prepare the budget?
The outlay we set aside for the guarantees is rather large that no other budget has ever experienced it. Naturally, we had constraints while allocating over Rs 50,000 crore for the guarantees which is almost 20 per cent of the total outlay of Rs 3.71 lakh crore. We have committed expenditure for the salaries, pensions, and subsidies for the irrigation pump set among others. So we prioritised winding up certain schemes similar to each other and pruning some of the schemes which were there for several years and saved money to fund the guarantees. We increased the revenue target. We have increased the guidance value of the properties which had not been revised for a long time. We have streamlined the stamp collection. We also have a plan to collect a little more revenue from the mining sector. The only tax we can increase is on liquor and there are limits.

The government is under flak as it has been funding the guarantees by increasing the liquor prices. How do you explain?
Despite a 20 per cent hike in excise duty, the prices of cheap liquor from where 95 per cent of revenue comes from in Karnataka is lower compared to the neighbouring states. Goa is an exception. So, to say that guarantees were funded by increasing the price of alcohol is not correct as we hiked (the prices) because it was underpriced. In the budget, we have proposed to rationalise the prices and reduce the taxes on premium liquor. Because our premium liquor was 60 to 100 per cent more expensive than in the other states, people tend to buy it from other states.

Most of the budgets in the past were revenue surplus budgets but this government has presented a revenue deficit budget. What will be the impact in the long run?
There are three fiscal responsibility parameters: It should be a revenue surplus budget; fiscal deficit should be within 3% of the GSDP (Gross State Domestic Product); and accumulated liabilities should not exceed 25% of the GSDP. We have always been within these limits. Only during COVID-19, we presented a revenue deficit budget. Last year, it was a deficit budget again. This time we had to present a deficit budget as we had to accommodate guarantee schemes and the revenue deficit increased to Rs. 26,000 crore. As per the medium-term fiscal policy, we anticipate a revenue deficit budget next year also but it will be a revenue surplus thereafter. I would say that as long as our fiscal deficit is within 3% of the GSDP, we are still fiscally prudent. As we are spending on human expenditure through guarantees, I would not worry too much about the temporary deficit.

What are the changes proposed in Excise?
We had set a target of Rs 36,000 crore under Excise revenue. As this was a drought year, it impacted the sales to some extent. Going forward, we are planning to bring some changes in Excise. So far, except in the premium segment, liquor prices in the state have been cheaper. We have planned to reduce prices of premium liquor which are available at cheaper prices in neighbouring states. It's the rationalization of slabs so that the sales of premium liquor increase in the state. Also, we will be facilitating the smooth processing of licensing and their renewal. We are looking at increasing revenue from licensing and renewal fees by bringing in transparency.

Does the Central budget or budgets of other states influence the state budget?
We look at the Central budget as it fixes the devolution and earmarks the grants-in-aid. However, the Karnataka budget is increasingly self-financed because state-owned revenue accounts for nearly 79 per cent of our expenditure.

What do you have to say about the CM complaining that the State pays Rs 100 as tax to the centre, only receiving back Rs 12?
Both the Central and state governments levy taxes, with certain taxes such as GST being levied by the central government but collected by the states, while others like Income Tax and Corporation Tax are both levied and collected by the central government. To determine the proportions for division within each state, a finance commission is established every five years which plays a crucial role in balancing tax collections and distributions. However, the amount collected from a state may not necessarily be fully returned to it. The commission considers various factors including population, forest cover, representation of minority communities, geographical area, and poverty levels. The 15th commission notably saw certain southern Indian states, particularly Karnataka, receiving a substantial dip. Previously, Karnataka received 4.7% of the total divisible pool, but this share has now decreased to 3.61%. The state with the highest per capita income tops the list, followed by others accordingly. Weightage is inversely proportional to the distance from the top, implying that states closer to the top are considered relatively richer and consequently receive a lower share. In this arrangement, Karnataka stands second, with Haryana at the top. This situation arose because Karnataka's GSDP was revised in 2015, primarily due to the contributions of software equipment from Bengaluru. Despite being the IT capital, Karnataka does not receive significant revenue from GST or Income Tax, as these sectors benefit from tax exemptions. Apart from this, previously, the Finance Commission used 1971 population data for distribution purposes. However, later it shifted to using 2011 data. In Karnataka, between 1971 and 2011, the population growth rates in the western and southern regions have been relatively lower. This can be attributed to falling fertility rates and effective population control measures. Consequently, states with less effective population control measures have benefited from this shift in criteria. Moving forward, Karnataka plans to approach the 16th Commission to request a more balanced approach, considering additional factors beyond just population data.

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It is being said that guarantees will make the government go bankrupt and that freebies are bad. What is your take on this?
I don't think guarantees will bankrupt Karnataka. This is the second budget that we have presented with the schemes and despite it being a revenue deficit budget, it is not disastrous. It is not desirable, however, sometimes it's okay as long as the money is useful. We believe this is a useful way. Karnataka is a growing state and we should aspire to do more. Increase GST collections, industrialise, create more jobs and earn more revenue. That should be used to help uplift the bottom line of 50% of the population. Organisations such as UNICEF, World Bank and IMF studies show that if you're able to give purchasing power in the hands of the poor and relatively poor, it helps to boost the economy. I believe it's not a wasteful expenditure as it's going into the right hands. We don't believe it's a freebie and the freebie concept is also debatable. We are practising an unconditional cash transfer in the state offering almost Rs 4500 per family, per month. There is no evidence that this money will be wrongly used. We are very consciously giving it to women which helps better rights in the family. Shakti scheme has also made women get up and go, without seeking permission from either the husband or son.

There are guarantees plus this year we have a drought. Is it a double whammy?
The drought year certainly has affected us. But thanks to good rains for the past 2-3 years and some good work done in water conservation, lake rejuvenation and forestation, we haven't had that serious problem with drinking water. It has affected the economy a little bit and had an impact on our revenues. It has also increased our drought expenditure—we had to drill more borewells and spend more on drinking water.

Is it advisable to rely on various Public-Private Partnership (PPP) models, including those proposed for education?
While Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) funds directed towards education are encouraged, it is not our primary investment source. Public investment remains our mainstay, with private contributions being appreciated but not relied upon as the sole source of funding. When it comes to Public-Private Partnerships (PPP), they are particularly targeted towards urban areas due to their dense populations. Additionally, we are seeking private investments in the energy sector, given Karnataka's leadership in renewable energy, with 63% of the state's electricity sourced from renewable resources.

What is your perspective on Bengaluru's traffic?
Bengaluru has reached its saturation point, prompting the government to explore options beyond the city. We are offering concessions for setting up industries at Mangaluru, Mysuru, Hubballi-Dharwad and Belagavi as the next industrial hubs and not for Bengaluru. Additionally, we are focusing on surrounding areas and towns near Bengaluru, including Ramanagara, Nelamangala, Doddaballapur, Chikkabalapur, Anekal, Bidadi, Kanakapura, and Devanahalli.

What do you have to say about the recent Janaspanda grievance meeting that happened at Vidhana Soudha?
The success of Janaspandana is not a reflection of the efficiency of the government. If these were addressed at the taluk or district level, why would people come to Bengaluru? I would say that it is not a good idea that so many people come to Bengaluru. We found out that 70 per cent of the grievances come from the revenue department. Within the revenue department, 70 percent of issues are related to surveys. We have a shortage of surveyors. If we address this issue, fewer people will come. This is a long-term issue. To address this immediately, the CM is going to hold Janaspandana in various regions - Kalaburagi, Belagavi and Mysuru.

Panchayats and Urban Local Bodies are not self-reliant and they depend on the government, what can be done?
I think both Panchayats and urban local bodies need to become more self-reliant. The local body should increase their revenue sources. For the collection of taxes, a lot of initiatives have been taken up. Online tax collection has been introduced where one can pay taxes through debit card, credit card and UPI. Similarly, including BBMP should become self-reliant wherever it is possible.

What do you say about fancy expenditures that will affect the state's financial health?
I don't think this expenditure will make a big impact.

MANDYA, THE FIRST TEST FOR NDA PARTNERS

POLITICAL RADAR

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SUMALATHA Ambareesh, actor-turned-politician, defeated then Chief Minister HD Kumaraswamy's son Nikhil, also an actor-turned-politician, in Mandya in the 2019 Lok Sabha polls. It was among the high-profile contests in Karnataka.

This time again, all eyes are on Mandya — the sugar bowl in the Vokkaliga heartland of Old Mysuru region — even before the parties announce their candidates. In many ways, the constituency reflects the changed political equations in the region, the challenges the alliance partners face, and their commitment to join forces, from grassroots to top leadership, to fight the assertive Congress.

While the Grand Old Party is preparing to go the whole hog in Chief Minister Siddaramaiah and Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar's home region, intense behind-the-scenes efforts to finalize the seat-sharing appear to be reaching the final stages in the NDA.

The JDS is confident of getting Mandya, Hassan and Kolar, while it is also said to be hoping to get one more seat. Sources in the party indicate the possibility of Dr CN Manjunath, well-known cardiologist and JDS supremo HD Deve Gowda's son-in-law, contesting as BJP candidate from Bengaluru Rural LS seat. The unorthodox poll strategy may be an effort to take on the Congress in its strong seat represented by DK Shivakumar's brother DK Suresh. It was the only seat Congress had won in the last elections.

For the BJP-JDS alliance, among all the seats, Mandya may be the most difficult one to decide. Whatever the decision may be, it is going to be a tough call. As an independent candidate backed by the BJP, Sumalatha had defeated JDS in a vitriolic election. Their animosity continued till the regional party became part of the NDA recently.

In the last elections, local Congress leaders had backed Sumalatha to defeat the JDS that had swept the assembly polls in the district, a year before the 2019 LS elections. Now, if fault lines erupt in the alliance, Congress will exploit the situation to its advantage.

While seat-sharing is decided at the top level, the big challenge lies in ensuring they work together wholeheartedly in the constituency, and not allow local equations to derail big strategies. In Tumakuru, former Prime Minister HD Deve Gowda, who had contested as JDS-Congress alliance candidate, lost with a narrow margin to BJP in the last elections. Differences among local leaders of alliance partners undid the plan, despite the high-profile candidate and a grand strategy.

While giving final touches to seat-sharing and strategy, BJP-JDS leaders will certainly be looking at the factors that led to the dismal performance of the Congress-JDS alliance in the last elections. They won just one seat each.

Now, BJP sees Mandya as a gateway to Old Mysuru region, that remains a chink in its armour. The party has been trying to make inroads into the Congress-JDS bastion. In Mandya, it has not won assembly or LS polls, except the 2019 bypoll in KR Pete when BS Yediyurappa was CM. Now, the party will be looking beyond the LS polls and making all efforts to get a foothold in the region.

If one goes by Sumalatha's confidence in retaining the seat and her emphasis on strengthening BJP in the district, the central leadership may have given her an indication. The JDS is also showing the same degree of confidence and feels it is a done deal. After Hassan, Mandya is the most important seat for the regional party, although in the 2023 assembly elections, the party won just one of seven assembly segments.

Kumaraswamy was certainly sending out a message to leaders within his party as well as those in alliance when he wore a saffron shawl and took the lead in the BJP's protest against the government's decision not to allow a saffron flag to be hoisted from a flagpost in Keragodu village in the district. Also, in the just-concluded budget session of the state legislature, the regional party fully joined hands with the BJP in taking on the government.

Party insiders believe the LS polls will be crucial for JDS' future, which is the reason they have fully aligned with the BJP to fight the Congress. The regional party seems to perceive an imminent threat from the Congress under the Siddaramaiah-Shivakumar leadership.

Although the JDS lost the recent Rajya Sabha polls, it did well in retaining all its 19 MLAs together. In a way, it was a setback for the BJP as two of its legislators went against the party's directive. While one cross-voted, another remained absent. It remains to be seen what action the BJP takes against its lawmakers, even as it treads carefully with its alliance partner.

Govt staff should declare assets, liabilities online, suggests panel

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IF everything goes to plan, State government employees will have to declare details of their assets and liabilities in public domain.

The Karnataka Administrative Reforms Commission-2, headed by former chief secretary TM Vijaya Bhaskar, submitted its seventh and last report to Chief Minister Siddaramaiah on Saturday.

The commission recommended that all Group A, B and C employees of the state government, and employees working in public sector Boards and Corporations, may place statements of their assets and liabilities on their department websites, for public information,

"The Government of India places immovable property returns submitted by IAS officers in public domain. On similar lines, state government employees should produce their details," it stated. The commission recommended that Niyukthi software, developed by the e-Governance department for issuing transfer orders of IAS and KAS officers, be used for other government staff.

Former chief secretary TM Vijaya Bhaskar submits panel report to Chief Minister Siddaramaiah on Saturday

In order to encourage paperless offices, the commission recommended that the secretariat be directed to return letters and proposals sent by subordinate officers on paper, except in unavoidable cases, with instructions that they be sent on e-Office.

It also said, "A fortnight prior to Gandhi Jayanti every year may be declared for Swachhata Abhiyan in all government, boards, corporations, local bodies and university offices for identifying and disposing of old files, reports, furniture, electronic items, vehicle spare parts etc lying in offices and office compounds."

The commission also recommended that all newly recruited staffers be compulsorily sent for an orientation or induction course.

Rajya Sabha polls: BJP issues notice to Somashekar, Hebbar

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BJP chief whip Doddanagouda H Patil on Saturday issued show-cause notice to former ministers ST Somashekar (Yeshwanthpur MLA), and Shivaram Hebbar (Yellapur MLA) seeking their explanation for going against the party's decision in the Rajya Sabha elections held on February 27. While Somashekar cross-voted for the Congress in the RS polls, Hebbar had abstained from the voting.

ST Somashekar

Shivaram Hebbar

The duo has been given a time of five days to reply to the notice and the notice warns of action against them for defection and disqualification under Schedule 10 of the Constitution.

Somashekar had defended his move to vote for Congress candidate Ajay Maken saying he voted as per his conscience. Hebbar, a day later, attributed his absence to his ill health.

Meanwhile, senior BJP leaders Prakash Shesharaghavachar and Mohan Vishwa have been appointed as the party's state spokespersons. State BJP president BY Vijayendra also appointed NV Phanish and Bhojaraja Karoodi as the state's joint coordinators for the cells.

The Delhi Police has stepped up security in the national capital after the IED blast at The Rameshwaram Cafe in Bengaluru, an official said on Saturday. Districts police chiefs have been directed to increase vigil in crowded areas, especially in Delhi's markets, he added

DKS: LINK IN B'LURU, M'LURU BLASTS. SIDDU: NO LINK

CM asks if blasts during BJP rule were to please minorities, tells Bengalureans not to worry; Suspect arrived in a BMTC bus, carrying bag

Woman with 40% burns undergoes surgery in city hosp

BENGALURU: Following the IED blast at Rameshwaram Cafe, which left 10 injured, some witnesses reported temporary hearing loss, while others suffered injuries and bleeding from charred glass pieces embedded in their skin from the explosion. Except for a customer, who sustained 40% burns and is currently in the ICU, all other patients have recovered. Swarnamba underwent an over three-hour-long surgery to treat lacerations on her body and remove glass and plastic-like particles. She also underwent flap surgery for cheek reconstruction and earlobe repair. She is out of danger and is currently under observation in the ICU, said Dr Pradeep Kumar TJ, Medical Director, Brookefield Hospital. Swarnamba was reportedly having a team lunch with her colleagues. Five other injured, all of whom were part of the team lunch, were admitted to Vydehi Institute Of Medical Sciences and Research Centre for observation due to blisters on their faces and legs. The sixth person reportedly received outpatient treatment and left.

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CHIEF Minister Siddaramaiah on Saturday clarified that there is no connection between the Bengaluru cafe blast case and the Mangaluru cooker explosion case. He was addressing reporters in Mysuru.

However, in contrast, Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar told reporters in Bengaluru that there might be a link between the cafe blast in Bengaluru and the Mangaluru cooker explosion case.

"Looks like there are some similarities. People of Bengaluru need not worry," he said.

Siddaramaiah said that he is confident of the police nabbing the accused in the cafe blast case soon.

Refuting opposition's allegation that his government is appeasing the minorities, Siddaramaiah said, "There were bomb blasts in the state during the BJP rule. Did the blasts happen to please the minorities then? I condemn such statements. I appeal to the BJP not to politicise the matter." He said that his government is yet to receive a report from the forensic laboratory in connection with the recent pro-Pakistan sloganeering in Vidhana Soudha. Stringent action will be taken against the accused, he added.

Earlier in the day, Siddaramaiah visited the blast site in Bengaluru where senior police officers briefed him about the progress of the probe. He also visited the injured being treated in hospitals and spoke to them. The CM later held a meeting with senior police officers. He instructed them to make use of technology while investigating the blast case and step up vigil in crowded areas of Bengaluru. He also instructed the officers to take stringent action against those who spread fake news on social media and try to disturb peace in society.

Suspect came on BMTC bus, travel history traced

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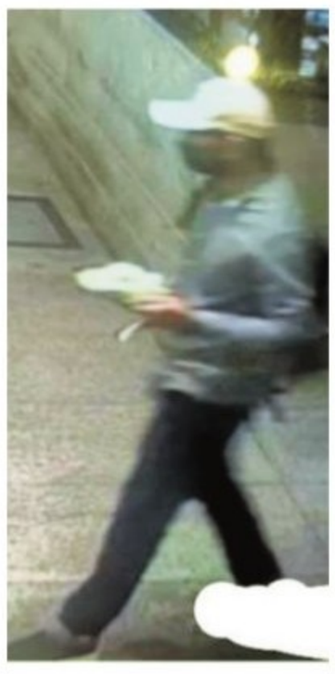
THE suspect in Friday's Rameshwaram Cafe bomb blast travelled in a Bengaluru Metropolitan Transport Corporation (BMTC) Volvo bus. The police are verifying the CCTV camera footage provided by BMTC to check the travel history of the accused.

It is said that the suspect travelled to the restaurant carrying the bag in which he carried the bomb and has been captured in the CCTV camera installed in the BMTC bus. Addressing the media on Saturday, Karnataka Transport Minister Ramalinga Reddy said that the suspect travelled in a BMTC bus. "We have shared the CCTV camera footage that was requested by the police based on the information that the suspect travelled in a BMTC bus to the cafe. The police have to investigate and our job is to support the police by providing the details sought by them and not to interfere in their interrogation," he said.

The bus in which the suspect travelled is said to be route number '500 F' operating between Central Silk Board and Kadugodi covering CMRIT College, Kundalahalli Colony, ITPL bus stops and others. He is said to have travelled back after planting the bomb in the BMTC bus and the police are verifying the footage shared by BMTC.



A video grab of the suspect, as captured by the restaurant's CCTV camera

DAY AFTER BLAST BENGALURU BOUNCES BACK TO NORMAL

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A day after the bomb blast at The Rameshwaram Cafe that sent shock waves across the IT capital Bengaluru, people were seen enjoying their Saturdays as they normally would, from breakfast spots to ice cream parlours, the streets were bustling with people outside Chinnaswamy Stadium and at various other eateries.

"The hotel is operating as usual, with security operating all throughout the operating hours from 5 am to 1 am each day. All outlets of the eatery consist of 5-8 guards who oversee the premises during operational hours," said Raghunath, manager of Rameshwaram Cafe, Rajajinagar branch.

"Customers are arriving as usual, with a larger crowd today because it is a Saturday. College students, bank employees, and others working nearby will be here until 3.30 pm each day for lunch," a staff member from MTR, St Marks Road branch said. He added that despite having multiple outlets, only the St Marks Road branch operates seven days a week.

People were observed lining up outside the Central Tiffin Room (CTR) in Malleswaram, eagerly awaiting their turn to enjoy the renowned 'Benne dosa'. Despite the restaurant opening at 4pm, a queue had already lined up by 4.15 pm.

Apart from the renowned Darshinis, ice cream parlours including Corner House and others were also bustling with people. merrily consuming their ice creams and milkshakes in the sweltering afternoon.

However, PC Rao, President of the Bruhat Bengaluru Hotels Association, said that the association will convene a meeting with police officials, member hotels, and other stakeholders to discuss protocols for maintaining vigilance in hotels.

Speaking to TNIE, he said, "We will collaborate with experts and police officials to proactively prevent similar incidents from occurring in the future. Recognizing that such occurrences can happen anywhere, not just at restaurants, we will establish standard operating procedures (SOPs). These SOPs will encompass guidelines regarding the operation of all restaurants and eateries, ensuring comprehensive and detailed procedures are put in place."

The Rameshwaram Cafe in Indiranagar bustling with customers as usual | ALLEN EGENUSE J

NIA, FSL teams collect evidence from spot

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MEANWHILE, officers from NIA and FSL collected evidence from the blast site. A battery, detonator and wires were found at the spot. ACP Kulkarni, who will oversee further investigations, had arrested five suspected terrorists in Hebbal police limits in July last. Sophisticated arms and ammunition and explosives were recovered from them.

It is said that the investigating officers are questioning four suspects in connection with the cafe blast case at an undisclosed location. Eight CCB teams have been formed to nab the accused. A search is on for the accused in Kerala, Tamil Nadu and Andhra Pradesh.

Meanwhile, security has been tightened at prominent places.

Explosion at cafe, a trial for serial blasts?

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THE BJP on Saturday expressed strong suspicion that the blast at Rameshwaram Cafe is part of a larger scheme of things, and a conspiracy by terrorists to conduct serial blasts. Expressing concern over the turn of events, senior BJP leader C T Ravi alleged that the incident looked like a trial run for serial bomb blasts by terrorists. "Since the Congress came to power in the state, the NIA has arrested as many as 21 suspects," he said.

"There is a big cell behind this incident. On one side, miscreants chant pro-Pakistan slogans at Vidhana Soudha. There is a big conspiracy behind all these incidents and it must be referred to the NIA for an in-depth probe as it would establish a terror link on an international level," said former CM Basavaraj Bommai.

Opposition leader R Ashoka alleged that the police is incompetent to conduct the probe, hence the government should hand over the case to NIA as early as possible, before the accused escapes abroad. "There is nothing wrong in handing over the case to NIA and seeking the Centre's support," he said.

Meanwhile, BJP on 'X' took a dig at Parameshwara for allegedly giving a clean chit to the accused by saying the incident cannot be called a terrorist act. "He has no moral right to continue in office and has to resign," the post said.

Bogus FSL report

Though CM Siddaramaiah has been claiming that the government is yet to receive the FSL report on alleged pro-Pakistan slogans in Vidhana Soudha, the BJP alleged that the government has resorted to a delay to create a bogus report. "FSL report has arrived and we have confirmed information that the 'Pakistan Zindabad' slogan was raised. The suspicion of preparing a bogus FSL report to protect the traitors is disturbing," Ashoka alleged.

Don't make K'taka a terror destination: Joshi

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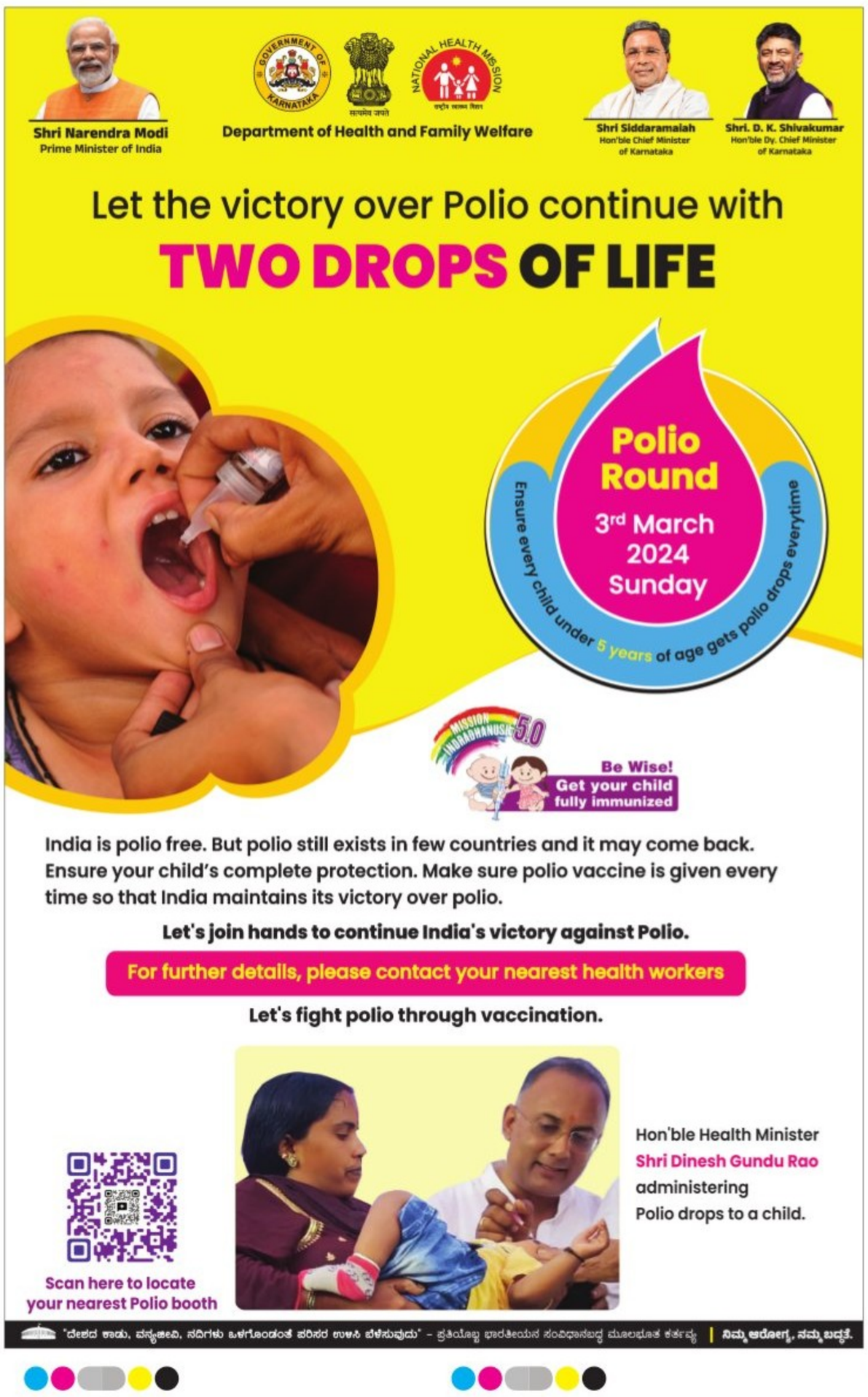
UNION Minister for Parliamentary Affairs, Coal and Mines Pralhad Joshi slammed the CM Siddaramaiah-led government over the bomb blast in Bengaluru and charged the Congress with making the state a safe haven for Islamic fundamentalists and extremists.

Speaking to the media here on Saturday, Joshi lashed out at Siddaramaiah and DCM DK Shivakumar and held them responsible for the Bengaluru blast and said not acting tough against those who raised pro-Pakistan slogans would encourage such elements.

Hailing the action of the PM Narendra Modi government against terrorism, Hoshi said 90 per cent of the terror activities have come down in the country. He, however, expressed concern over inaction of the state government against these forces. "In the Congress rule today, Karnataka is becoming a safe place for terrorists and extremists to carry out attacks. Don't make Karnataka a terror destination just for your vote bank. Let Siddaramaiah first rein in such elements," he said.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2023–24 ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ ಪಾಲಿಕೆ ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ ನಿಧಿ (2ನೇ ಕರೆ) – 16 ಕಾಮಗಾರಿ, 2021–22ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ 15ನೇ ಹಣಕಾಸು ಆಯೋಗದ ಮಿಲಿಯನ್ ಪ್ಲಸ್ ಸಿಟಿ ಮರುಹಂಚಿಕೆ ಅನುದಾನ (3ನೇ ಕರೆ) –01 ಕಾಮಗಾರಿ, ಸ್ವಚ್ಛ ಭಾರತ್ ಮಿಷನ್ (ನಗರ) 2.0 ಯೋಜನೆ (4ನೇ ಕರೆ) – 01 ಕಾಮಗಾರಿ, 2023–24ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ ಪಾಲಿಕೆ ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ ನಿಧಿ – 10 ಕಾಮಗಾರಿ ಒಟ್ಟು 28 ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಕೆಪಿಪಿಪಿ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಸಿಂಗಲ್/ಡಬಲ್ ಕವರ್ ಪದ್ಧತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಕರೆಯಲಾಗಿದ್ದು, ಅರ್ಹ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು/ಏಜನ್ಸಿದಾರರು/ ಸರಬರಾಜುದಾರರು ಇ–ಪ್ರಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ವೆಬ್ ಸೈಟ್ https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in ನಲ್ಲಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಗಾಗಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಬಹುದು. ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆಯ ಕಛೇರಿಯ ವೆಬ್ ಸೈಟ್ www.davanagerecity.mrc.gov.in ರಲ್ಲಿ ಹಾಗೂ ಕೆಪಿಪಿಪಿ ಸಹಾಯಕ ದೂರವಾಣಿ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: +91–8046010000 +91–8068948777 ರಿಂದ ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು.

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O/o Chief General Manager (Engg), STP Circle-II, Khairatabad, Hyderabad-500 004, T.S.

EoI Notice No.01.CGM(E)/STP Circle-II/Odour Control System/2023-24/Dated: 02.03.2024

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

The HMWSSB intends to invite expression of interest from the reputed manufactures/ agencies having experience in **"Manufacture, supply, installation and maintenance of Odour Control System at STPs"** meeting the standards/ norms of CPCB/CPHEEO for finalization of technology for installation of OCU at the STPs being constructed in GHMC area by HMWSSB.

The reputed manufactures/ agencies having experience in "Manufacture, supply, installation and maintenance of Odour Control System at STPs" may apply duly enclosing their company profile, technology details, credentials etc. They are also required to make detailed technical presentation before the Senior Engineers of HMWSSB.

The interested agencies may submit their applications to the **Chief General Manager (E), STP Circle-II, HMWSSB, Khairatabad, Hyderabad** on or before **15.03.2024 upto 3.00 PM.**

Sd/- Chief General Manager (Engg), STP Circle-II, Khairatabad, Hyderabad-500 004, T.S.

Governament of Karnataka
HASSAN INSTITUTE OF MEDICAL SCIENCES, HASSAN
(An Autonomous Institute under the Dept of Medical Education, Government of Karnataka)
SRI CHAMARAJENDRA HOSPITAL CAMPUS, HASSAN Website: www.hims-hassan.org
Phone/Fax No.08172-231699, 231599, Email:directorhims@yahoo.com
No : HIMS/TS/OS/Security Service/ 49/2023-24 Date:29.02.2024

E-TENDER NOTIFICATION (Through e-procurement only)

Hassan Institute of Medical Sciences, Hassan, invites tender for Security services, Technical & Others Services , Group D services and Cleaning services to HIMS Hassan from the Authorized Agency in two cover bid system as per KTPP Act 1999 Sl No 01)Tender Notification No Hims/TS(3)OS/SS/49/2023-24 Details Security Services Tender Uploading Date & Last Date 05.03.2024 to 04.04.2024 Estimated Cost of Tender Rs 336.23 Lakhs EMD (Rs)Rs 5.04 Lakhs 02)Tender Notification No Hims/TS(3)OS/OS/50/2023-24 Details Technical & Others Services Tender Uploading Date & Last Date 06.03.2024 to 05.04.2024 Estimated Cost of Tender Rs 353.18 Lakhs EMD (Rs)Rs 5.29 Lakhs 03)Tender Notification No Hims/TS(3)OS/GD/51/2023-24 Details Group D Attender Services Tender Uploading Date & Last Date 07.03.2024 to 06.04.2024 Estimated Cost of Tender Rs 473.73 Lakhs EMD (Rs)Rs 7.10 Lakhs 04)Tender Notification No Hims/TS(3)OS/CH/54/ 2023-24 Details Cleaning Services in Hospital Building Tender Uploading Date & Last Date 07.03.2024 to 08.04.2024 Estimated Cost of Tender Rs 428.34 Lakhs EMD(Rs)Rs 6.42 Lakhs 05)Tender Notification No Hims/TS(3)OS/CC/55/ 2023-24 Details Cleaning Services in College Building Tender Uploading Date & Last Date 11.03.2024 to10.04.2024 Estimated Cost of Tender Rs 126.79 Lakhs EMD(Rs)Rs 1.90 Lakhs Tender details can be viewed , downloaded and applied only through the e-procurement mode only website : www.kpppuat.karnataka.gov.in For further details contact/visit office during working hours.

Sd/- Chief Administrative Officer, Hassan Institute of Medical Sciences, Hassan.

ವಾಸಾಸಂಇ/ಹಿಸನಿ/ಹಾಸನ/862/ಕೆಎಸ್ಎಂಸಿಎ/871/2023–24

PUBLIC NOTICE

The general public is hereby informed that, my client, Manjunath. T.S S/o Srinivasa Reddy. T, R/At: near carmel public school, Hennagara road, Kittaganahalli Village, Attibele Hobali, Anekal Taluk, intends to enter into registered Joint Development Agreement along with GPA in respect of property bearing Sy. No.61/1, measuring 0-34 guntas, situated at Kachanayakanahalli Village, which is more morefully described hereunder as Item No.1 of the schedule with K.M. Vishwanath son of Munishamireddy, R/At Kachanayakanahalli Village, jigani Hobali, Anekal Taluk, similarly above referred client intends to enter into registered Joint Development Agreement along with GPA in respect of property bearing Sy. No.61/1, measuring 0-34 guntas, situated at Kachanayakanahalli Village, which is more morefully described hereunder as Item No.2 of the schedule with K.M. Harish Babu son of Munishamireddy, R/At Kachanayakanahalli Village, Jigani Hobali, Anekal Taluk.

If, anybody has got any form of right, title, interest, possession, share, claim etc, over the Items No.1 and 2 of the schedule property either in part or full, may kindly contact the undersigned with relavant documents within 15 days, failing which my client will proceed for further transaction.

SCHEDULE

1. Item No.1: All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Sy. No. 61/1, measuring 0-34 guntas out of total extent situated at Kachanayakanahalli Village, jigani Hobali, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru urban District bounded on **East by:** Sy. No.61/1, property of KM. Harish, **West by :** Sy. No.73, **North by:** Road, **South by:** Sy. No.61.

2. Item No.2: All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Sy. No.61/1, measuring 0-34 guntas out of total extent situated at Kachanayakanahalli Village, jigani Hobali, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru urban District bounded on **East by:** Sy. No.60, **West by:** Sy. No.61/1, property of KM. Vishwanath, **North by:** Road, **South by:** Sy. No.61.

B.V. RAJESH, Advocate, No.3, S.T.B. Complex, Near Court complex, Attibele Road, Anekal.
Place: Anekal Date: 02-03-2024

THE KARUR VYSYA BANK LTD
ASSET RECOVERY BRANCH
Divisional Office Building, No.6, Shri Vasavi Temple Road, Near Sajjan Rao Circle, V V Puram, Bangalore, Karnataka-560004.

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, **The Karur Vysya Bank Ltd,** the constructive/physical (whichever is applicable) possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **The Karur Vysya Bank Ltd.,** Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** on **22.03.2024,** for recovery of **Rs. 73,84,177.56** (Rupees Seventy Three Lakhs Eighty Four Thousand One Hundred Seventy Seven and Fifty Six Paise only) as on **01.03.2024** due to **"The Karur Vysya Bank Ltd",** Secured Creditor from **(a) Mr.Naren Kumar S** No. 10, 2nd floor, 9th E Cross, SBI Colony, J.P. Nagar, 1st Phase, Bangalore-56078 Also @ GF No.004, Property bearing number 207/A, Rajarajeswari CMC, Khatha No.438/207 –A, Bikasipura Village, Uttarhalli Hobli, Bangalore-560061 **Guarantor: (b) Mr.Amareshwar G** S/o Mr.Shankarnna Gowli, 104/Y, BSK, 4th Main, 7th Block, Bangalore-560085. The reserve price will be **Rs.41,00,000/- (Rupees Forty One Lakhs only)** and the earnest money deposit will be **Rs. 4,10,000/- (Rupees Four Lakhs and Ten Thousand only).**

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the property situated at No. 207/A, Rajarajeswari CMC, Khatha, No. 438/207-A, Ward No.185, Flat No.GF No. 004, Ground Floor, Bikasipura Village, Uttarhalli Hobli, Bangalore-560061, bounded by: East: Open Area, West : Passage and Flat No. 001, North: Staircase Area, South : Flat No. 003.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in our Bank's/Secured Creditor's website i.e., **www.kvb.co.in/Property Under Auction also at the web portal BankAuctions.in/ForeclosureIndia.com** of the service provider, **M/s. 4 closure.**

STATUTORY 15 DAYS' NOTICE UNDER RULE 9(1) OF THE SARFAESI ACT, 2002

The borrower/s and guarantor/s are hereby notified to pay the dues as mentioned above along with up to date interest and ancillary expenses before the date of e-Auction, failing which the Schedule property will be auctioned/sold and balance dues, if any, will be recovered with interest and cost.

Date : 02.03.2024 Sd/- Authorized Officer
Place: Bangalore THE KARUR VYSYA BANK LIMITED

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DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of Residential Flat Bearing No. 402 in 4th Floor, (2BHK) at "Miyans Green Residency" Celebrity Lake View carved out in S.No. 56,72,73/2, 74/1 and 74/2 property No. 150200103200201171/240/112 and 150200103200201172/240/113, Site No.112 &113, present Henagara Grama Panchayat Certificate No. 7012796 situated at "Celebrity Lake View" of Rajapura Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore- 560 102. Total site extent 5200.00 Sq.ft, super Built-up area of 1018 Sq.ft having 203 Sq.ft of Undivided share and Bounded on: East by Corridor, West by: Set Back, North by: Flat No.401, South by: Flat No.403.

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Date : 02.03.2024 Sd/- Authorized Officer
Place: Bangalore THE KARUR VYSYA BANK LIMITED

BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE
Office of The Executive Engineer, Mahadevapura Division, Mahadevapura Zone, ITPL Main Road, Mahadevapura, Bengaluru - 560048

No.: BBMP/EE/MD/E-PMT/17/2023-24 Date : 01-03-2024

INVITATION FOR BID (IFB) SHORT TERM TENDER
(Two Cover System) (Through GOK KPP Portal Only)

The Executive Engineer (Mahadevapura) invites tender from eligible Service Providers for Outsourcing of human resource of offices (Security Staff, Literate Assistants and Drivers) in BBMP Mahadevapura Zone.

Sl. No.	Name of the Work
1	Outsourcing of human resource to offices (Security Staff, Literate Assistants and Drivers) in BBMP Mahadevapura Zone. **Approximate Value of work : Rs. 117.21 Lakhs. EMD : Rs. 2.00 Lakhs**

(1) Bid documents may be downloaded from Government of Karnataka e-Procurement website : **http://kppp.karnataka.gov.in/eportal/index.seam** under login for Contractors **(2)** Last date and time for receipt of tenders : **11.03.2024 up to 4.00 pm (3)** Time and date of opening of Technical Bid : **12.03.2024, 4.30 pm (4)** Opening of Financial Bid : Financial bid date will be announced to the firm which will be selected through technical bid **(5)** Validity of Tender : 90 Days.

Sd/- Executive Engineer, Mahadevapura Division

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, DIVISION, CHITRADURGA

No.EE:PWD:CTA:JE-1:Tender-30:2023-24: Dated:- 01.03.2024

SHORT TERM E-TENDER NOTIFICATION

Tenders are invited from registered Contractors in KPWD for the following work through KPPP Portal as per standard tender documents rules.

Name of work:- Two cover System:- Head of Account 5054-03-337-0-17-154 SH Improvements:-(1)Improvements and Road Widening of SH-C4 Musturu to Belagatta via Kadabanakatte Turuvanuru Kunabevu Bhagenal Belagatta Ch 6.20 to 7.00 Km, 14.60 to 15.80 Km and 18.70 to 19.30 Km in Challakere Constituency Chitradurga Taluk (Working Ch 6.20 to 7.00 Km and 14.60 to 15.30 Km) (WI.9284)

Estimate Cost Rs. in Lakhs:- 400.00

Tender dates are as mentioned below: Late Date & time for Tender Queries/ Clarifications 15-03-2024 Time: 17.30 Last Date & time for receipt of tenders 16-03-2024 Time: 16.00 Date & time for opening of Technical Bid 18-03-2024 Time: 16.15 Date & time for opening of Financial Bid 20-03-2024 Time: 11.00 Further details can be obtained from this office and H.P. Company helpline Numbers 080-25501216 and 080-25501227.

DIPR/CTA/KSMCA/643/2023-24 Sd/- Executive Engineer PWD, Chitradurga.

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Tel No.: 0820-2532961, Fax No: 0820-2532961, Email: pfdudupi@gmail.com

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(ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಮಾತ್ರ) (ದ್ವಿ ದಾಖಲೆ ಪದ್ಧತಿ)

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ಸಹಿ/– ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರ್,
ಬಂದರು ಮತ್ತು ಮೀನುಗಾರಿಕಾ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಉಡುಪಿ

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ
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ದೂರವಾಣಿ: 08384–226381 ಇ–ಮೇಲ್: ee_zpedsirsi@yahoo.co.in
ಕ್ರ.ಸಂ:ಪಂ.ರಾ.ಇಂ/ವಿಶಿ/ವಿ.ಪ.ಸೂ.ಕಾ/ಟೆಂಡರ್–21/2023–24/1838 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 01–03–2023

ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ 21/2023–24 (ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಮೂಲಕ)

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ರಾಜ್ಯಪಾಲರ ಪರವಾಗಿ ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರು, ಪಂಚಾಯತ್ ರಾಜ್ ಇಂಜಿನೀಯರಿಂಗ್ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಶಿರಸಿ ಇವರಿಂದ ಲೋಕೋಪಯೋಗಿ ಇಲಾಖೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ನವಿಕೃತ ನೊಂದಾಯಿತ 2019–20 ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ ನವಿಕೃತ ನೋಂದಾಯಿಸಿದ ಅರ್ಹ ಹಾಗೂ ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯಿಂದ ನೋಂದಾಯಿಸಲ್ಪಟ್ಟ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರಿಂದ ವಿವೇಕ ಪದವಿ ಪೂರ್ವ ಕಾಲೇಜು ಕಟ್ಟಡ ನಿರ್ಮಾಣ ಯೋಜನೆಯಡಿ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಖರೀದಿ ಪಾರದರ್ಶಕತೆ ಕಾನೂನು ಹಾಗೂ ನಿಯಮಾವಳಿ 2000 ಹಾಗೂ **Standard Tender Document** ನಂತೆ **KW-III** ತತ್ಸಂಬಂಧ ಕಾಲಕಾಲಕ್ಕೆ ಹೊರಡಿಸಲಾದ ತಿದ್ದುಪಡಿ ಆದೇಶಗಳನ್ವಯ ನಿಬಂಧನೆಗೆ ಒಳಪಟ್ಟು ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನಂತೆ ಐಟಂವಾರು ಟೆಂಡರ ಕರೆಯಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಅರ್ಹ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು ಇ–ಆಡಳಿತ ಕೇಂದ್ರ ಅಥವಾ ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ **http://www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in** ನಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಿದಂತೆ ದಿನಾಂಕ ಹಾಗೂ ಇನ್ನುಳಿದ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು ಏಚಿತಪಡಿಸಿಕೊಂಡು ಟೆಂಡರಿಗಾಗಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಬಹುದು. ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿವರಗಳಿಗೆ ಈ ಕಚೇರಿಯಿಂದ ಕಚೇರಿ ವೇಳೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು ಟೆಂಡರ್ ವಿವರಗಳು ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನಂತಿವೆ.

ಕಾಮಗಾರಿ ಹೆಸರು: **Others Category: (1) RDPR/2023-24/BD/WORK_INDENT2890 (2) RDPR/2023-24/BD/WORK_INDENT4834**

(1) ಭರ್ತಿ ಮಾಡಿದ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಗಳನ್ನು ಸ್ವೀಕರಿಸುವ ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 27–03–2024 ರ ಸಂಜೆ 16.00 ಘಂಟೆ ವರೆಗೆ (2) ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಶೆಡ್ಯೂಲ್–ಬಿ ಗಳ **Technical Bid** ಗಳನ್ನು ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 28–03–2024 ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ 11.30 ಘಂಟೆಗೆ (ಸಾಧ್ಯವಾದಲ್ಲಿ) ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು **www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in** ವೆಬ್ ಸೈಟಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಅಥವಾ ಈ ಕಚೇರಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ. (3) ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗೆ **Financial Bid** ಗಳನ್ನು ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 30–03–2024 ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ 12.00 ಘಂಟೆಗೆ (ಸಾಧ್ಯವಾದಲ್ಲಿ)

ಸಹಿ/– ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಇಂಜಿನೀಯರು,
ಪಂಚಾಯತ ರಾಜ್ ಇಂಜಿನೀಯರಿಂಗ್ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಶಿರಸಿ

DIPR/KWR/KSMCA/795/23-24 dt. 02.03.2024

PUBLIC NOTICE

It is hereby notified that my Client Mrs. Patil Sandhya, has entered into an Agreement to purchase the Site No.2HM-137, measuring East to West : 18.30 meters, and North to South : 12.20 meters, measuring in all 223.26 square meters from its owner Sri. Vamsikrishna Valeti, Bangalore.

Persons having claims or having any right, title or interest in the schedule mentioned property, may lodge their objections and / or claims with the undersigned along with supporting documentary evidence within 7 days from the date of this publication and objections and / or claims received thereafter will not be binding on my clients and my clients will proceed with the mortgage transaction of below mentioned property, as if there are no claimants / objections.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing B.D.A. Residential **Site No.2HM-137,** BBMP E-Swathu Katha Certificate **No.2HM/137,** dated **06.12.2023,** situated at East of N.G.E.F. (Banaswadi Village), Layout, Bangalore, measuring **East to West : 18.30 meters,** and **North to South : 12.20 meters, measuring in all 223.26 square meters,** together with all rights appurtenances whatsoever whether underneath or above the surface and bounded on **East by:** Site No.3M-132, **West by:** 2H Main Road, **North by:** Site No.2HM-139, **South by:** Site No.2HM-135

Kavitha S. & Associates,
Advocates & Legal Consultants,
1006/1, 2nd Floor, Balaji Building,
1st Cross M E S Colony, HAL Airport Exit Road, Bangalore-560 017 M: 96868 58225

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public is hereby informed that, my client Mrs.Sadhana Sinha, residing at No.1975, 9th Block, East End, Jayanagar Bangalore-560 078, is the absolute owner of the schedule property mentioned below, having acquired the same vide Regd., Sale Deed dated 26.05.2005, registered as Document No.5821/2005-06 of Book-I and stored in C.D.No.KEND211, in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Kengeri, which is morefully described in the schedule below.

It is further notified to the General Public that, Mrs.Sadhana Sinha had lost the original Sale Deed dated : 31.10.1994, Document No.8116/1994-95 of Book-I, in the Office of the Sub-Registrar Kengeri, executed by Ms.Sapna Ahuja and Others in favour of Dr.Suvasini Pandit. A Police Complaint has been lodged with Bangalore City Police vide Lost Article Report dated : 14.02.2024. I hereby request that if any persons come across or find the same, they are request to hand over the same to the below mentioned address and they will be compensated accordingly.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Residential Flat bearing No.C-4, Second Floor, Municipal No.69/21, PID No.57-164-69/21, in the building known as "Panchali Apartment", admeasuring 880 Sq., Ft., Super-Built-up Area, together with 880/42256th Share of undivided right and interest measuring 400.45 Sq., Ft., undivided share, right, title and interest with a Car Parking Area numbered as C-4 in the Basement, constructed on the Property bearing Municipal No.69, situated at 15th Cross Road, JP Nagar 3rd Phase, Corporation Division No.60-B, Bangalore, measuring East to West : (33.52 + 32) /2 Meters and North to South : (53.03 + 56.08) /2 Meters, in all measuring 1787.06 Sq., Meters or 19229 Sq., Feet.

Mrs.Kanchana Sushma, Advocate,
No.91, 9th Cross, Cubbonpet,
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THE BANGALORE CITY CO-OPERATIVE BANK LIMITED
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Ph. : 26678572 : 26600512 : 26609066, General Manager : 26617980 : Tele Fax : (080) 26617980

SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES THROUGH PUBLIC AUCTION

Auction Sale under the Securitization & Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security interest Act 2002 of the Immovable properties mortgaged to the **Bangalore City Co. operative Bank Ltd., is brought to Sale under " AS IS WHERE IS CONDITION".**

Sl No	Name of the Borrower & Description of property	Boundaries & Measurement	Amount of Secured debt & Reserve Price	Date of Public Auction
1	**Sri. Ravi Kumar. H,** No.16, 4th Main Road, Bapujinagar, 2nd Stage, Bengaluru-26. **No.32/1, Kavika Layout, BBMP Ward No.42, of Bapujinagar, PID No. 42-52-32/1, Bengaluru.**	**East to West : 15 feet & North to South : 20 feet Including 3 feet Common Passage. East by:-** Property No.35/2, **West by:-** Western Portion of Property belongs to Kempamma thereafter Road, **North by:-** 3X30 feet Common Passage, thereafter property No.33, **South by:-** Property No.31.	**Rs. 13,28,749/- (Interest from) 27.02.2024 Notice Date : 27.02.2024 Reserve Price Rs. 18,50,000/-**	**05.04.2024 10.00 A.M**
2	**Smt. Lakshmamma,** No.84, 3rd Cross, K.G. Road, R.K.Mutt Layout, Bengaluru-19. **No.84, Ramakrishna Mutt Layout, K.G. Nagar, BBMP Ward No.49 & New Ward No.142 of Sukenahalli, PID No.49-39-84, Bengaluru.**	**East to West : 20 feet & North to South: 30 feet East by:-** Site No.83, **West by:-** Road, **North by:-** Road, **South by:-** Site No.65.	**Rs. 15,04,969/- (Interest from) 27.02.2024 Notice Date : 27.02.2024 Reserve Price Rs. 52,50,000/-**	**05.04.2024 10.30 A.M**
3	**Smt. Kempamma,** No.16, 4th Main Road, Bapujinagar, 2nd Stage, Bengaluru-26. **No.32, Kavika Layout, BBMP Ward No.42 of Bapujinagar, With PID No.42-52-32, Bengaluru.**	**East to West : 15 feet & North to South : 20 feet Including 3 feet Common passage. East by:** Eastern portion property belongs to Sri. H. Ravi Kumar, **West by:** Road, **North by:** 3 X 30 feet Common passage, thereafter property no.33, **South by:** Property No.31.	**Rs. 13,30,111/- (Interest from) 27.02.2024 Notice Date : 27.02.2024 Reserve Price Rs. 19,50,000/-**	**05.04.2024 11.00 A.M**
4	**Smt. Salamma Y.P,** No.495, 2nd Cross, 2nd Main, V.S. Garden, Chamarajpet, Government Electric Factory, Bengaluru-26. **New Municipal No.22, (Old No.495), 2nd Cross, Venkataswamy Thota, Jagajeevanaramanagar, Division No.44, PID No. 44-39-22, Bengaluru.**	**East to West : 18 feet & North to South : 25 Feet East by:** Property No.496, **West by:** Property No.494, **North by:** 2nd Cross, **South by:** Property No.488.	**Rs. 13,06,121/- (Interest from) 27.02.2024 Notice Date : 27.02.2024 Reserve Price Rs. 24,20,000/-**	**05.04.2024 11.30 A.M**
5	**Smt. Shahanaz Banu,** No.111, 1st Cross, 3rd Main, Padarayanapura South, Bengaluru-20. 1st Schedule:- **No.11/1, situated at 3rd Main Padarayanapura, presently coming under the Jurisdiction of BBMP Ward No.43 of Padarayanapura, New Ward No.136 of JJR Nagar, PID No.43-115-11/1, Bengaluru.**	**East to West : 15 feet & North to South : 60 feet East by :** Property of Mallikarjunaiah, **West by :** Property No.11, **North by :** Main Road, **South by :** Conservancy.	**Rs. 1,27,18,692/- (Interest from) 01.03.2024 Notice Date : 01.03.2024 Reserve Price Rs. 1,30,00,000/-**	**05.04.2024 01.30 P.M**
	2nd Schedule:- **New Municipal No.11, 3rd Cross Road, 3rd Main Road, Padarayanapura, Presently coming under the Jurisdiction of BBMP Ward No.43 (Old Ward No.23) Padarayanapura, New Ward No.136 of JJR Nagar, PID No.43-115-11, Bengaluru.**	**East to West : 15 feet & North to South : 44.3 feet East by :** 3 feet Passage thereafter B.M.V Ramaiah's House property, **West by :** Others property, **North by :** 3 feet common passage thereafter B.M.V Ramaiah's House property and remaining portion of the same property & thereafter Road, **South by :** Conservancy Lane.		
	3rd Schedule:- **Municipal No.11, (Portion) situated at 3rd Main Road, 3rd Cross, Padarayanapura, BBMP Ward No.43 of Padarayanapura New Ward No.136 of JJR Nagar, PID No.43-115-11, Bengaluru.**	**East to West : 12 feet & North to South : 12.9 feet. East by :** Others property, **West by :** Common Passage after private Road, **North by :** Road, **South by :** Passage after private property.		

(1) The public auction will be conducted in the premises of Administrative office, No.3, Pampa Mahakavi Road, Chamarajapet, Bangalore-18. (2) For participation in the auction the intending bidder have to deposit an amount equivalent to 10 % of the Reserve price of the property being cautioned deposit. The cautioned deposit shall be forfeited by the bank without any prior notice, If the successful bidder fails to Adhere to the terms of Sale, time and commits default in any manner. (3) The successful bidders should deposit 25 % of the bid amount on the same day at the sale in cash/D.D. to the bank and the balance Within 15 days from the date of sale. (4) The Successful bidders shall bear all expenses like stamp duty Registration fee etc., for getting the sale certificate Registered in his/her favour. (5) The authorized officer shall have powers to accept or reject bids or postpone / cancel the auction without assigning any reasons thereof. (6) For inspection of the property and other particular, the intending bidders may contact the undersigned at **The Bangalore City Co-Operative Bank ltd., Administrative Office, or through phone No.26678572 / 26600512,** they are at liberty to make their own Assessment / enquiry about the property.

Date : 02.03.2024 Sd/- Authorized Officer
Place: Bangalore The Bangalore City Co. Operative Bank Ltd.

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
DISTRICT URBAN DEVELOPMENT CELL, D.K District Mangaluru-575001
Contact No. 0824-2220593 Email : eedudc.dkd@gmail.com

No:DUDC/Mun(3) /CR/53/2023 -24/186943 Date-02-03-2024

TENDER NOTIFICATION

The Executive Engineer, District Urban Development Cell, Dakshina Kannada District invites e-tenders from eligible PWD Registered contractor for Amruth Nagarothana Phase-4 Projects works KTTP Act 1999 Rule 2000 as detailed below.

Sl. No.	Description of Work	Amount put to tender Excluding GST (Rs.In Lakhs)	EMD Amount (Rs.In Lakhs)	Work Period
1	Construction of PK quarters, library building extension, physiotherapy building and commercial complex building in Ullal CMC limits under Amrutha Nagarothana phase 4 grant. (DMA/2023-24/BD/WORK_INDENT15486)	279.79	4.20	12 months
2	Construction of road, drain and building in Ullal CMC limits under Amrutha Nagarothana phase 4 grant. (DMA/2023-24/OW/WORK_INDENT15857)	303.00	4.54	9 months
3	Construction of office building and commercial complex building in Someshwara TMC limits under Amrutha Nagarothana phase 4 grant. (DMA/2023-24/BD/WORK_INDENT15084)	211.75	3.18	9 months
4	Construction of PK quarters building in Puttur CMC limits under Amrutha Nagarothana phase 4 grant. (DMA/2023-24/OW/WORK_INDENT15296)	104.15	1.56	9 months
5	Construction of PK quarters building, road and drain in Vitla TP limits under Amrutha Nagarothana phase

A biker died after he crashed his vehicle in Kollad, Kerala, on Saturday. The deceased, Midhun Mathews, who was travelling from Aluva towards Angamaly, when he lost control, hitting an electric pole near the road. Though he was shifted to a nearby hospital, he could not be saved

STUDENT DEATH: KERALA GUV SUSPENDS VET VARSITY V-C

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@T'Puram

IN a major embarrassment to the LDF government, Governor Arif Mohammed Khan has suspended Kerala Veterinary and Animal Sciences University vice-chancellor Dr M R Saseendranath in connection with the death of J S Sidharth, a second year student of the veterinary college at Pookode in Wayanad district. The governor initiated a probe into the incident and wrote to the High Court registrar, seeking a sitting judge's service for a judicial probe.

The suspension order issued by the governor on Saturday also stated that P C Saseendran -- a former professor with the Kerala Veterinary and Animal Sciences University (KVASU) -- will replace Saseendranath, as officiating vice-chancellor.

The communiqué from the governor's secretariat, Raj Bhavan, issued by chief secretary to the governor/chancellor Davendra Kumar Dhodawat, said that Saseendran shall exercise the powers and perform the duties of the vice-chancellor with immediate effect until further orders.

The significant move from the governor came at a time when the LDF government had not taken any steps to book the college authorities including the vice-chancellor and the dean who had come under flak from various quarters. Governor Khan used his power as the chancellor, wherein he also issued an urgent exemplary action and ordered a detailed enquiry into the matter invoking the provisions of section 9 (9) of KVASU Act, 2010.

Police use water cannon to disperse protesting students | EXPRESS

Khan alleged that there has been a serious lapse from the side of the vice-chancellor. Unleashing his tirade against the PFI-SFI nexus rampant on various college campuses, the governor claimed that the college authorities did not do anything.

"Despite Sidharth being inflicted with injuries under the guise of ragging, the college authorities did not act. The college hostels have become the den of activities of PFI-SFI students who are hand in glove. I'm saying this as per the police reports which I received. Sidharth had not got any food or water for 24 hours," Khan told reporters in Thiruvananthapuram.

He had visited Sidharth's house at Nedumangad in Thiruvananthapuram on Thursday, spending time with his parents, T Jayaprakash and M R Sheeba. The governor had also sought a report from the college authorities after realising that "cruelty" had happened on the Pookode campus. He had directed the KVASU dean to convene an urgent meeting with all department heads, faculty, student advisors and assistant wardens on February 22.

Seat-sharing drags on as VCK keen on securing three seats from DMK

S KUMARESAN @Chennai

SEAT-sharing talks in the DMK alliance seem to be facing some headwinds as Congress and Viduthalai Chiruthaigal Katchi (VCK) are demanding more seats than what they got in the last Lok Sabha polls, sources said. But both the parties, amid a stalemate in discussions, told reports on Saturday that a seat-sharing pact would be signed with the DMK soon. Rumour of displeasure among VCK leaders was rife after its scheduled talks with the DMK's seat-sharing committee did not happen on Saturday. VCK functionaries, led by its founder Thol Thirumavalavan, were instead huddled in a separate meeting. The allies, however, insisted that the parleys with the Dravidian major have been smooth.

"Who said they (DMK) are unwilling to allot seats to us? The talks with the DMK are smooth and friendly. We will soon finalise the numbers," TN Congress chief K Selvaperunthagai told reporters in Chennai. When asked to specify the number of seats offered to the party, Selvaperunthagai shot back saying all the 40 Lok Sabha seats (including the lone Puducherry constituency) in Tamil Nadu were Congress seats and the party would fight the upcoming poll in that spirit. Asked if the DMK declined to allot the specific number sought by the Congress, he said his party's high command was in touch with the DMK leadership and the numbers would be finalised soon.

Speaking in a similar vein, VCK chief Thol Thirumavalavan said his party could not resume the second round of negotiations with the DMK on Saturday due to its high-level committee meeting which discussed numerous issues related to the Lok Sabha poll.

"We could not keep up our appointment this afternoon," he said. Regarding VCK's demand for three Lok Sabha seats, including a general constituency seat, Thirumavalavan said, "It is our right to seek more seats, and our demand is correct. We will persist with our demands until the pact with the DMK is finalised. We know our strengths in terms of organisational structure and ideological stance."

Poll strategist Prashant Kishor to interact with TNIE today

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HYDERABAD Dialogues – part of the Express Dialogues series, an initiative of TNIE -- will get a facelift Sunday with the participation of prominent personalities from different sections of society and, importantly, the young generation.

And, our guest for this important episode is the man who has changed how election campaigns are run in the country – ace political strategist Prashant Kishor. The event will be held at ITC Kakatiya Hotel in Begumpet from 4 pm to 6 pm.

TNIE has been bringing our readers Express Dialogues with the who's who from various fields in the country. Among our guests were Union Ministers Nitin Gadkari, Ashwini Vaishnaw, Hardeep Singh Puri, and leaders Shashi Tharoor, Salman Khurshid, Prakash Javadekar, Kerala Governor Arif Mohammad Khan, BRS working president KT Rama Rao, and current Telangana Chief Minister Revanth Reddy among others.

Prashant Kishor began his innings as a political strategist in 2011 with the then chief minister of Gujarat Narendra Modi and, later, worked with him in the 2014 Lok Sabha elections. He has since crafted tactics and strategies for several parties like the YSRC, TMC, DMK, AAP and JD(U). He co-founded I-PAC, a political consultancy, but later charted his own path. He was with the JD(U) for some time and is now on a 3,000-km padayatra as part of his Jan Suraaj campaign in Bihar with the objective of bringing a change in the way people vote and eventually of floating his own political party.

BULLET RANI IN D'GERE

Rajalakshmi Nanda who is on a nation-wide tour to encourage voters to re-elect Prime Minister Narendra Modi for the third consecutive time being felicitated by the Davangere district BJP president | EXPRESS

RUDRESH CASE

Key accused nabbed in Mumbai

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The National Investigation Agency (NIA) on Friday arrested a Popular Front of India (PFI) member who was the key conspirator in the 2016 RSS leader R Rudresh murder case in Bengaluru.

Ghouse Nayazi, who was absconding, was arrested by an NIA team at Mumbai International Airport on his arrival from Dar-es-Salaam, Tanzania, where the NIA team was waiting for him on receiving credible inputs about the absconding accused.

Rudresh, a prominent RSS leader of Shivajinagar, was hacked to death by four members of the now banned PFI, on October 16, 2016. The NIA investigation in the case had revealed that the murder was "part of a larger conspiracy hatched by Ghouse, president of SDPI Hebbal Assembly Constituency, and one Asim Sheriff," stated the NIA in an official release on Saturday.

"Ghouse and Sheriff had motivated the other four accused to kill Rudresh with an intention to strike terror among members of the RSS and society. The killers were persuaded to believe that the fight against the RSS was a 'holy war'," the agency added. With Ghouse's arrest, all the accused in the case have been arrested. The trial against the remaining accused persons is continuing in the NIA Special Court, Bengaluru.

TTD to reduce VIP Break Darshan from April

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The Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanams (TTD) has decided to reduce VIP Break Darshan, SRIVANI tourism quota and virtual Sevas from April to July to tackle the devotee rush, executive officer AV Dharma Reddy said on Saturday.

During the 'Dial Your EO' programme, he explained that the Srivari temple Trust has taken steps to issue 85% of the total 7,500 rooms available at Tirumala - which can accommodate 45,000 people - to common devotees. Further, devotees have also been advised to book their stay in Tirupati.

Highlighting the programmes organised by the TTD in the last month, he said Radhasapthami was witnessed by devotees, who appreciated the distribution of Annaprasadam, milk and water.

The CCTV footage of the priest manhandling the couple Pariyalthadka village in Dakshina Kannada district | EXPRESS

Priest manhandles elderly couple, video goes viral

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A catholic priest manhandled an elderly couple at Pariyalthadka village in Dakshina Kannada district. The incident which was caught on the CCTV camera of the victim's house has gone viral on social media leading to public outrage.

Fr Nelson Olivera, a Parish priest of Christ the King Church at Manela in Pariyalthadka in Bantwal taluk, allegedly assaulted Gregory and Philomena couple when he visited their house for 'house blessing' on February 29.

In the video, Fr Olivera is seen talking to the couple at the gate after which he drags Gregory towards the house by holding his collar. The priest kicks Philomena who came to her husband's rescue. An unidentified person who had accompanied the priest was seen helping the accused as he manhandled the couple.

It is not clear as to what triggered the incident but sources said there were differences of opinion between the couple and the priest over giving donations to the church. The couple have no children and were living alone. After the incident, the couple took treatment in a hospital. An FIR has been registered at Vittal police station.

Meanwhile, acting swiftly, Diocese of Mangalore removed the priest and appointed another one in his place. In a press statement released on Saturday, the diocese said it is deeply saddened by the incidents and as an immediate response, the concerned priest would be removed from the religious ministry at Christ the King Church and someone else would be deputed to serve the spiritual needs of people.

"The diocese will cooperate with the law enforcing authorities and apart from the enquiry initiated by the government departments, the diocese of Mangalore will also initiate canonical enquiries for establishing the truth of the facts in order to take adequate future course of action," it said.

EXPRESS READ

BU to auction campus tamarind

Bengaluru: Bangalore University (BU) announced that it will hold an auction for the yield secured from the 100 tamarind trees in the Jnanabharti campus. The auction will take place on March 6, at 11:45 am in front of the Horticulture Botanic Office at the Department of Horticulture in the BU campus. Those who wish to participate in the auction will have to pay Rs 5,000 as a security deposit to the treasurer of the Bengaluru University before the event. The security deposit amount will be refunded if the participant fails to secure the bid.

200 kin of BMTC staff get jobs

Bengaluru: Transport Minister Ramalinga Reddy on Saturday, issued appointment orders to the dependents of deceased BMTC employees on compassionate grounds in the city. About 200 dependants of the deceased candidates, who were waiting to be recruited on compassionate grounds in the corporation, were recruited for Class-3 (Non-Supervisory) and Class-4 vacancies as per merit and availability. Karnataka Examinations Authority has invited applications to fill up 2,500 conductor posts in BMTC through direct recruitment.

Student dead, 4 missing off TN coast

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Chennai

Five college students from Andhra Pradesh, who were part of a group of 44 students on a trip to Mahabalipuram, may have drowned in the sea on Saturday, police said. While body of one of the victims has been retrieved, search is on for the other four who went missing. The students had ventured deep into the sea during their outing at the beach, police said.

The student whose body was retrieved was identified as Vijay (19). Local fishermen along with police and fire and rescue services personnel were continuing their search for the other four students. "We have not been able to find them so far. We have alerted all the coastal villages. Since the direction of the current seems to be towards Kalpakkam, a large part of our team has been deployed towards that direction," a police officer said. A group of 44 students from two different colleges in Andhra Pradesh had arrived at Mahabalipuram on Saturday as part of a two-day trip.

Top brass will take decision on S'mogga ticket: Geetha

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CONGRESS leader Geetha Shivarajkumar said the central leaders of the party would take a call on the candidate for the Shivamogga parliamentary segment.

Speaking to reporters here on Saturday, Geetha, wife of actor Shiva Rajkumar, said she is very much interested in social service and has been continuing the activities started by her mother, Shakuntala Bangarappa, in Mysuru. Politics also provides the platform for social service, she said.

Responding to a question, she said she was with the party during the election campaign, and thereafter too, she visited places like Ballari and Belagavi.

"I would love to see my wife as a Member of Parliament. Being an MLA or an MP, she would be a motivating factor for women. So, I wish to see Geetha as an elected representative," expressed Shiva Rajkumar. Geetha's name is making the rounds for the ticket to the Shivamogga Lok Sabha constituency, in the coming general election. Meanwhile, Shiva Rajkumar affirmed that he has no intention of joining politics and to contest elections. But definitely, he would campaign for Geetha, if the party high command gave her a ticket

FISHERMAN GETS ENTANGLED IN NET, DIES

Udupi: A fisherman fishing in a kayak boat was found dead in the sea. A resident of Polipu in Kaup, Kishore (27) had ventured for fishing in the wee hours of Friday. However, Kishor's boat was found floating on the sea and his body entangled to the fishing net during a search. Police said Kishore always went alone for fishing using his kayak boat. It is said that the nets spread by the fishermen of other boat would have entangled Kishore in the sea. His wife Pavithra rushed to the spot upon being informed about the incident. Efforts were made to bring Kishore to the shore, he, however, had breathed his last by then. Based on the complaint by Pavithra, a case has been registered at Kaup police station under section 174 of CrPC.

IIT-B to help train IAF personnel in waveform design

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Bengaluru

THE International Institute of Information Technology Bangalore (IIIT-B) and Software Development Institute (SDI) of the Indian Air Force (IAF) announced a strategic partnership aimed at driving ground-breaking research and development activities, while fostering the creation of innovative products and processes.

IIIT-B will be extending its expertise to collaborate with SDI, a critical unit within the Indian Air Force, responsible for software development tasks related to avionics software systems and integration. SDI also plays a pivotal role in providing specialized training to selected officers of the IAF.

The institute is also committed to initiating a specialized training programme titled 'Communication Theory and DSP for Waveform Design'. This will be designed for IAF personnel nominated by SDI and will be spearheaded by Prem Singh from IIIT-B who is an expert in 5G and Beyond Waveform Design.

Speaking about the partnership, Debabrata Das, director, IIIT-B, said, "The MoU between IIIT-B and SDI marks a pivotal collaboration aimed at driving innovation in waveform design. With a shared commitment to advancing telecommunications technology, both entities will pool their expertise to meticulously craft and optimize cutting-edge waveforms that will redefine the performance and efficiency of airborne systems."

The MoU will also emphasise key areas such as state-of-the-art research and development and tailor-made training programmes directed by SDI. The primary objective is to equip the Indian Air Force with the knowledge and capabilities needed to accelerate the pace of innovation in the field.

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ANNOUNCEMENT - 2024 inviting proposals for funding from Start-ups, MSMEs and Individual Innovators under S&T PRISM Program of Ministry of Mines

Proposals are invited from Startups, MSMEs and Individual Innovators for up to 2 years duration, which have direct bearing on mineral and metal sector, applied and sustainable aspect of mining, metallurgy and industrial applications, for funding under "Promotion of Research and Innovation in Startups and MSMEs in Mining, Mineral Processing, Metallurgy and Recycling Sector (S&T-PRISM)" under Science and Technology Program of Ministry of Mines so as to enable them to graduate to a level where they will be able to raise investments from angel/Venture Capitalist or they will reach a position to seek loans from commercial banks/financial institutions. The funding is positioned to act as a bridge between development and commercialization of innovative technologies/products/services in a relatively hassle free manner.

Funding support will be in the form of a grant of up to ₹ 50 lakhs for Startup, ₹ 1 Cr. for MSME and grant up to ₹ 2 Cr. may be considered for technology products requiring higher funding on the recommendation by TEC and approval by Apex Committee. Special emphasis will be on critical minerals. The details are available on the website of Ministry of Mines (mines.gov.in), SATYABHAMA Portal (research.mines.gov.in) and **www.jnarddc.gov.in**. Please contact the Implementing Agency: JNARDDC, Nagpur for further details **(rnchouhan@jnarddc.gov.in)**.

Proposals should be emailed to **startups-mines@gov.in** in pdf format along with all the enclosures. Last date of submission of proposals is **30.04.2024**.

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SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act(SARFAESI), 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules,
Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property(ies) mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the constructive/physical/ symbolic possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of the Bank/ Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** on the date as mentioned in the table herein below, for recovery of its dues due to the Bank/ Secured Creditor from the respective borrower (s) and guarantor (s). The reserve price and the earnest money deposit is mentioned in the table below against the respective properties.

The auction will be held on 19.03.2024 from 11.00 AM to 05.00 PM

SCHEDULE OF THE SECURED ASSETS

Sl. No.	Branch Name : Branch Contact No : A/c Name : A/c No :	Description of the property	A) SARFAESI Details Possession B) Outstanding Amount in Rs.	A) Reserve Price B) EMD C) Bid Increase Amount
1	Bangalore Electronic city (123820) **Mob No. 9962022231** M RAMACHANDRA **A/C No. 0884300024657**	Residential Property bearing sy no.44/4a, Having area of 3394.50 sq ft at Hebbagodi,Balaji nagar, off Hosur Main road Near Gangamma and Yellamma Temple Biocon compus, Attibele Hobli Anekal Taluk, PID No.55-251-8, Ward No. 55, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore - 560100 and Bounded on **East by :** 5feet Road & Land of Krishnappa, **West by :** Land of Venkatesh, **North by :** M Shankar's Property in the Same Sy no and **South by :** Papanna's Property in the Same Sy no.	A) 13(2) 27.05.2021 13(4) 15.09.2021 Symbolic **B) Rs. 14,30,851.00 Plus interest and other charges from the date of NPA**	**A) Rs.1,83,62,000/- B) Rs.18,36,200/- C) Rs.2,00,000/-**
2	BANGALORE, ANAND NAGAR (156700) **Mob No. 9962022231** PRASANTH LEO FRANCIS **A/C No. 156700NC00005793**	**Schedule "A" Property :** All that piece and parcel of land bearing converted Sy No. 138/3, measuring East to West 120ft. North to South: 80 feet, totally measuring 9600 sft situated at Site No. 200/1 in New BBMP Katha 1002/1199/1093/882/200/1 in Sy. No. 138/3, situated at Sarvaboumanagar, Bilekahalli village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South:- bounded on **East by:** 30 feet Road, **West by:** Private property, **North by:** 30 feet Road, **South by :** 30 feet Road. **Schedule "B" Property :** An undivided 506 sq. ft. share in the land comprised in the Schedule "A" property. **Schedule "C" Property :** All the piece and parcel of the flat bearing No. 303 and 304 in third floor in the residential apartment known as "NEHA LEGEND", to be constructed on the schedule A property, consisting of living, dining and three bedroom, having super built up area of 3382 sq. ft. equipped with flooring, sanitary, electricity wiring and other facilities with two car parking space in the stilt floor.	A) 13(2) 02.07.2018 13(4) 11.10.2018 Physical **B) Rs. 1,68,05,357.80 Plus interest and other charges from the date of NPA**	**A) Rs.1,25,49,000/- B) Rs.12,54,900/- C) Rs.1,50,000/-**
3	BANGALORE, ELECTRONIC CITY (606200) **Mob No. 9962022231** MR. CHANDRAN ARUN **A/C No. 606200NC00000889**	**SCHEDULE PROPERTY "A":** All that piece of the property Vacant site bearing No.15, Khatha No.60/2, previously coming under city Municipal Council, Bommanahalli CMC Katha No. 365:60-2/15, now coming under Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palike Jurisdiction, bearing B.B.M.P Katha No. 264/365/60/2/15, Situated at Singasandra Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, measuring East to West 50 ft and North to South 80 ft in totally measuring 4,000 Sq.ft, Bounded by:-**East by:** Site bearing No.16, **West by** : Property of Sri Narayanaswamy, **North by** : Road and **South by**: Property of Sri Narayanaswamy. **SCHEDULE PROPERTY "B" :** All that piece and parcel of Residential property bearing Flat No G3 in the Ground Floor, measuring 1225 Sq.Ft Super built up Area, containing with Hall, kitchen, Two Bedrooms, together with one covered Car Parking space bearing No G3 including proportionate share in common areas such as passage, lobbies, staircase, contained in the multistoried building on the Schedule "A" property known as "SV FLORA" together with 260 Sq. Ft of undivided share in the land comprised in Schedule "A" property. Bounded as follows: **East By** : Corridor & Open To Sky, **West By :** Open to Sky, **North By :** Open to Sky & Flat No G2 and **South By :** Open to Sky.	A) 13(2) 07.08.2018 13(4) 10.05.2019 Physical **B) Rs. 53,82,703.00 Plus interest and other charges from the date of NPA**	**A) Rs.36,00,000/- B) Rs.3,60,000/- C) Rs.50,000/-**
4	Bangalore J P Nagar (Sol ID 1594) **Mob No. 9962022231** Smt. Radha N **A/C No. 159400NC00004426**	**SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY :** All that piece and parcel of Property bearing No. 19/3, Portion of residential converted land bearing Survey No. 19/3, vide Conversion Order bearing No. BDS.ALN(E) VB/SR/205/2003-04, dated 28.07.2003, issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore, Khatha No. 809, measuring 7623 Sq.Ft., towards Southern Side, situated at Kaikondrahalli Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Talk and bounded on the : **East by :** Road and Sri.Papanna Reddy's Property, **West by :** Sri. Shamanna Reddy's Property, **North by :** Remaining Portion of same Sy.No.19/3 and **South by :** Sri. Krishna Reddy's Property. **SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY :** Residential Flat No.304, on the Third Floor, Two Bed Rooms in the building known as 'SRI HARI RESIDENCY' Apartment, having 920 Sq.Ft. of super built up area, along with 255 Sq.Ft. of undivided share in the land and One Car Parking Space in the basement area in the apartment, along with proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, Lift and staircase in the said apartment with all civic amenities, lift and common power back up generator facilities, vitrified tiles flooring.	A) 13(2) 25.01.2017 13(4) 03.04.2017 Symbolic **B) Rs. 47,04,070.00 Plus interest and other charges from the date of NPA**	**A) Rs.38,11,000/- B) Rs.3,81,100/- C) Rs.50,000/-**
5	Bangalore EGL Business Park, Domlur(7547) **Mob No. 9962022231** SOWMYA B **A/C No. 754700NC00001438**	**SCHEDULE "A" PROPERTY :** All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Residential Site bearing No.15, Khatha No.60/2, previously coming under City Municipal Council, Bommanahalli CMC Katha No. 365:60-2/15, now coming under Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palike Jurisdiction, bearing B.B.M.P Katha No.264/365/60/2/15, situated at Singasandra Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, measuring East to West 50 Feet and North to South 80 Feet in totally measuring 4,000 Square Feet, Bounded By: **East by:** Site bearing No.16, **West by:** Property of Sri Narayanaswamy, **North by:** Road and **South by :** Property of Sri Narayanaswamy. **SCHEDULE "B" PROPERTY :** 260 Square Feet of undivided right, title and interest of land in the immovable property mentioned in Schedule "A" above. **SCHEDULE "C" PROPERTY :** Flat bearing No.103, on First Floor, having super built up area of 1225 Square Feet, containing Two bed rooms, with One covered car parking space in the Basement Floor, having RCC Roofed, Vitrified flooring, including proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, staircase, etc., in the multistoried apartment residential building known as "S.V FLORA" constructed over Schedule "A" Property and bounded on: **East by :** Open to Sky, **West by** : Open to Sky, **North by** : Open to Sky, **South by** : Open to Sky and Flat No.102.	A) 13(2) 07.08.2018 13(4) 10.05.2019 Symbolic **B) Rs. 53,82,703.00 Plus interest and other charges from the date of NPA**	**A) Rs.33,75,000/- B) Rs.3,37,500/- C) Rs.50,000/-**
6	BANGALORE J P NAGAR (159400) **Mob No. 9962022231** C N SANTHOSH **A/C No. 159400NC00004259, 1594009900001024**	**SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY :** All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Municipal No. 308 situated at Rajmahal Vilas, 2a Stage, H.I.G. House, Bangalore, PID No.100-767-308, measuring East to West : 19.60 + 18.65/2 Mtrs., and North To South: 18.30 + 18.50/2Mtrs., totally measuring 351.915q.Mtrs alongwith 930 Sq-Mtrs of residential Building standing thereon consisting of Ground, First, Second and Third Floors, Ground Floor measuring about 297.28 Sq.Mtrs., First Floor measuring about 297.28 Sq.Mtrs., Second Floor measuring about 222.97 Sq.Mtrs, and Third Floor measuring 111.50 Sq.Mtrs., together with RCC Roofing, Vitrified flooring, with wooden doors and windows in the residential building and bounded on as follows: **East by :** BDA property, **West by :** 7th Main Road **North by :** 14th Cross Road and **South by :** BDA Property. **SCHEDULE'B' PROPERTY :** 297.28 5q. Mtrs., of Super build Area on the of 1 Floor constructed in the schedule A property together with 1000q.ft., of undivided share, right title and interest in the Schedule 'A' property together with common Passage, common Stairs, with all right of easements, together with one car parking area in ground floor.	A) 13(2) 13.01.2017 13(4) 28.03.2017 Symbolic **B) Rs. 1,73,03,220.00 Plus interest and other charges from the date of NPA**	**A) Rs.2,29,15,000/- B) Rs.22,91,500/- C) Rs.2,50,000/-**

Encumbrances : No such information known to the best of knowledge of Authorized Officer. The bidders are requested to do their own Due Diligence.
TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF E-AUCTION SALE : 1. The sale shall be subject to the Terms & Conditions prescribed in the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 and to the following further conditions. (1) The auction sale will be "online through e-auction" portal **http://www.mstcecommerce.com. 2.** The intending Bidders/ Purchasers are requested to register on portal (https:www.mstcauction.com) using their mobile number and email-id. Further, they are requested to upload requisite KYC documents. Once the KYC documents are verified by e-auction service provider (may take 2 working days), the intending Bidders/ Purchasers has to transfer the EMD amount using online mode in his Global EMD Wallet before the e-auction Date and time in the portal. The registration, verification of KYC documents and transfer of EMD in wallet must be completed well in advance, before auction date. **3.** Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) amount as mentioned above shall be paid online through 3 mode i.e. NEFT/ Cash/ Transfer (After generation of Challan from (https:www.mstcecommerce.com) in bidders Global EMD Wallet. NEFT transfer can be done from any Scheduled Commercial Bank, however for Cash/ Transfer the bidder has to visit Punjab National Bank Branch. Payment of EMD by any other mode such as Cheques will not be accepted. Bidders, not depositing the required EMD online, will not be allowed to participate in the e-auction. The Earnest Money Deposited shall not bear any interest. **4.** Platform **(https:www.mstcecommerce.com)** for e-Auction will be provided by e Auction service provider M/S MSTC Limited having its Registered office at 225-C, A.J.C. Bose Road, Kolkata700020 (contact Phone & Toll free Numbers 079-41072412/ 411/ 413 or 1800-103-5342). The intending Bidders/ Purchasers are required to participate in the e-Auction process at e-Auction Service Provider's website **https:www.mstcecommerce.com**. This Service Provider will also provide online demonstration/ training on e-Auction on the portal. **5.** The Sale Notice containing the General Terms and Conditions of Sale is available / published in the following websites/ web page portal. **(1) https://www.ibapi.in (2) https://eprocure.gov.in/epublish/app (3) http://www.mstcecommerce.com/. (4) www.pnbindia.in, 6.** The intending participants of e-auction may download free of cost, copies of the Sale Notice, Terms & Conditions of e-auction,Help Manual on operational part of e-Auction related to this eAuction from e -**ईकरय** IBAPI portal (https://www.ibapi.in). **7.** The intending Bidders / Purchasers are requested to register on portal (https:www.mstcauction.com) using their mobile number and email-id. Further, they will upload the requisite KYC documents. 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Ten minutes time will be allowed to bidders to quote successive higher bid and if no higher bid is offered by any bidder after the expiry of ten minutes to the last highest bid, the e-auction shall be closed. 10.** It is the responsibility of intending Bidder(s) to properly read the Sale Notice, Terms & conditions of e-auction, Help Manual on operational part of e-Auction and follow them strictly. **(1)** In case of any difficulty or need of assistance before or during e-Auction process may contact authorized representative of our e-Auction Service Provider (http://www.mstcecommerce.com/). Details of which are available on the e-Auction portal. **11.** After finalization of e-Auction by the Authorized Officer, only successful bidder will be informed by our above referred service provider through SMS/ email. (On mobile no/ email address given by them/ registered with the service provider). **12.** The secured asset will not be sold below the reserve price. **13.** The successful bidder shall have to deposit 25% (twenty five percent) of the bid amount, less EMD amount deposited, on the same day or not later than the next working day and the remaining amount shall be paid within 15 days from the date of auction in the form of Banker's Cheque/ Demand Draft issued by a Scheduled Commercial Bank drawn in favour of "The Authorized Officer, Punjab National Bank, A/c (Name of the A/C) Payable at Bangalore. In case of failure to deposit the amounts as above within the stipulated time, the amount deposited by successful bidder will be forfeited to the Bank and Authorized Officer shall have the liberty to conduct a fresh auction/ sale of the property & the defaulting bidder shall not have any claim over the forfeited amount and the property. **14.** Payment of sale consideration by the successful bidder to the bank will be subject to TDS under Section 194- 1A of Income Tax Act 1961 and TDS is to be made by the successful bidder only at the time of deposit of remaining 75 % of the bid amount/full deposit of BID amount. **15.** The Authorised Officer reserves the right to accept any or reject all bids, if not found acceptable or to postpone/cancel/adjourn/discontinue or vary the terms of the auction at any time without assigning any reason whatsoever and his decision in this regard shall be final. **16.** The sale certificate shall be issued in the favour of successful bidder on deposit of full bid amount as per the provisions of the act. **17.** The properties are being sold on **"AS IS WHERE IS BASIS and "AS IS WHAT IS BASIS" and "WHATEVER THERE IS BASIS". 18.** The particulars of Secured Assets specified in the Schedule hereinabove have been stated to the best of the information of the Authorised Officer, but the Authorised Officer shall not be answerable for any error, misstatement or omission in this proclamation. **19.** It shall be the responsibility of the bidders to inspect and satisfy themselves about the asset and specification before submitting the bid. The bidder inspect the property in consultation with the dealing official as per the details provided. **20.** All statutory dues/attendant charges/other dues including registration charges, stamp duty, taxes etc. shall have to be borne by the purchaser. **21. The Authorized Officer or the Bank shall not be responsible for any charge, lien, encumbrances, or any other dues to the Government or anyone else in respect of properties (E-Auctioned) not known to the bank. The Intending Bidder is advised to make their own independent inquiries regarding the encumbrances on the property including statutory liabilities, arrears of property tax, electricity dues etc. 22.** The bidder should ensure proper internet connectivity, power back-up etc. The Bank shall not be liable for any disruption due to internet failure, power failure or technical reasons or reasons/contingencies affecting the e-auctions. **23.** It is open to the Bank to appoint a representative and make self bid and participate in the auction. For detailed term and conditions of the sale, please refer **https://www.ibapi.in, https://eprocure.gov.in/epublish/app, http://www.mstcecommerce.com/, www.pnbindia.in.**

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Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Property

E-Auction Sale Notice for 15 days Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the constructive/physical possession has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Union Bank of India Secured Creditor will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is" and "whatever there in"** on **27-03-2024, 12.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m.** for recovery of **Rs. 2,41,49,275/-** (Rupees Two Crore Forty One Lakh Forty Nine Thousand Two Hundred And Seventy Five Only) as on 21.02.2024 plus interest, incidental charges and principle thereon due to the Secured Creditor from **Borrower, Co-Applicant and Guarantor : 1) Mr. John Gerald George,** S/o. Mr. Nelson Plaulin George, No. 235, Sector-C, Jal Vayu Vihar, Kammanahalli Main Road, Kalyan Nagar Post, Bengaluru-560 043. The reserve Price will be **Rs. 3,05,78,000/-** and the earnest money deposit will be **Rs. 30,57,800/-.**

Details of immovable secured assest to be sold : All that piece and parcel of the Residential Vacant Site bearing No.6, House List Khata No.94/2, situated in "THE RETREAT"of Horamavu Village, Krishnarajapuram Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengaluru, now comes under the municipal jurisdiction of BBMP limits,. Measuring : East : 83' Feet, West : 83' Feet, North : 71' 9" Feet, South : 71' 9" Feet, In all measuring 6086 Sq. Ft. And **bounded by : East by :** Private Property, **West by :** Private Road, **North by :** House Site No.1, **South by :** House Site No. 7.

For Detailed terms and condition of the sale, please refer to the link provided in **(1) https://www.ibapi.in (2) www.unionbankofindia.co.in** The intending purchaser require to register through : **https://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp** The online E-auction will be held through **website: sarfaesi@unionbankofindia.com.**
For E-auction Related queries Please contact Manager, Ph : 080-25589879, 8355803412, 9740718797

Date : 28.02.2024
Place : Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Union Bank of India

RAIL COACH FACTORY KAPURTHALA

E-TENDER NOTICE

On-line bids are invited by PCMM, RCF on behalf of President of India for the following item(s):-

Sr.No.	Tender No. & Due Date	Description	Qty. (Nos/Sets)	EMD(₹)
1.	13245020/26.03.2024 Spec. No. QM/XRF/TS-19	XRF ANALYZER as per DT-07/03/20196415181	03 Nos. PL No. 6415181	132310/-
2.	05241127/27.03.2024	Foot Step Arrangement	216 Nos.	67280/-
3.	05241076/28.03.2024 CBC Coupler	AAR 'H' Type Tight Lock	80 Sets	450830/-
4.	02241069/27.03.2024	Emergency Lighting System	437 Set.	195950/-
5.	01241075/01.04.2024	**1)** To analyze, design, simulate & verify, productionize, validate, field test (short & long term) & fatigue test of improved Bogies and Training of IR personnel. **2)** Set of 2 instrumented wheel sets (4 1MWs mounted in pairs on each of 2 axles) alongwith the accessories and services. **3)** Fully Assembled Improved Bogies Compatible with IR-LHB Coaches.	1) 1 Set 2) 1 Set, 3) 1600 Nos.	5000000/-
6.	04231123A/27.03.2024 Two Type	Ferritic Steel Sheet	5000KGS+ 9500KGS	53030/-
7.	02241010A/27.03.2024 415V IP67, 5 POLE	Ext. Supp. Socket 125 AMP.	2340 Nos.	78970/-

1. For details and making On-line bids, visit Website **http://ireps.gov.in** Drawings/specifications, wherever required can be downloaded from RCF Website **http://www.rcf.indianrailways.gov.in. Class IIIb digital signature certificate required for on-line bidding, can be obtained from licensed certifying agencies listed at website http://www.cce.gov.in. 2.** All Limited tenders and Advertised tenders will normally close at 11:25 Hrs and 14:25 Hrs respectively on the stipulated date and will be opened at 11.30 Hrs and 14.30 Hrs. **3.** Tender at Sr. No. 1 will be opened at RCF, Kapurthala and Tender at Sr. No. 2 to 7 will be opened at Tilak Bridge, New Delhi-110002. **4.** For queries contact IREPS Helpdesk at 011-24102855, 011-24105180 or RCF Helpdesk at 011-23378658. **NOTE:** "GST No. of RCF is 03AAAGM0289C1ZT. All the suppliers are advised to quote this in dispatch documents for the supplies made by them".

PCMM

CORRIGENDUM: (1) Tender No. 17241041 for FRP Drop Down Modular Toilet (Pre-Assembled) for LHB Hot Buffet Car Coaches **Due date may be read as 11.03.2024** instead of 01.03.2024. **(2)** Tender No. 05241026 for Set of side wall assly and Roof complete SLR and Power Car **Due date may be read as 12.03.2024** instead of 05.03.2024. **(3)** Tender No. 02241056 for S.I.C.M. of GPS Location Based Papis **Due date may be read as 15.03.2024** instead of 29.02.2024. **(4)** Tender No. 17231459C for procurement of Set of Furnishing Items (FRP Panels, Non AC Area Ceiling, Air Duct, Honey Comb Partition Frame and Pillars) in Kit form for LHB AC 2Tier Coaches **Due date may be read as 07.03.2024** instead of 01.03.2024. **(5)** Tender No. 07241034 **Due date may be read as 27.03.2024** instead of 20.03.2024. **(6)** Tender No. 02231399 for Switch Board Cabinet **Due date may be read as 15.03.2024** instead of 29.02.2024. **(7)** Tender No. 02241056 for S.I.C.M. of GPS Location based PAPIS **Due date may be read as 15.03.2024** instead of 29.02.2024.

Dy. CMM

R.O. No. 161-S/2023-24 **Dated: 02.03.2024**

NYAYAMITRA SAHAKARI BANK NIYAMITA

Admn. Office: High Court Building (New Annexe), Dr. Ambedkar Veedhi, Bangalore-560001.

AUCTION SALE OF RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY

Auction Sale under Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 of the under mentioned property mortgaged to the Bank for recovery of the Secured Debt of Rs. 91,00,000/- as of 02.03.2024 with interest and other charges there on till the debt is cleared.

Date & Time of Auction	**11.03.2024 at 10.30 A.M.**
Place of Auction	**Nyayamitra Sahakari Bank Niyamita High Court of Karnataka Building, New Annexe, Dr.Ambedkar Veedhi, Bangalore-560 001.**
Reserved Price	**Rs. 1,66,63,500.00**
Name of the Borrower	**Gupta Vijayakumar @ G Vijayakumar**
Name of the Mortgage	**Gupta Vijayakumar @ G Vijayakumar**
Name of the property Owner	**Gupta Vijayakumar @ G Vijayakumar**

SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Property Bearing Property Bearing No.16, Presently jurisdiction of Bommanahalli CMC Katha No.56, Assessment No.85/3, Old Khatha No.246//85/3/16, and New No.10/245, situated at Arakere Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Previously comes under Bommanahalli CMC Limits, presently comes under BBMP Limits, measuring East To West 40 feet. North To South 57+58/2 feet, in all measuring 2300sq ft, and bounded follows: East by: Property bearing No.17, West by: Property bearing No.15, North by: Road, South by: Property belonging to Shanthi Builders.

TERMS AND CONDITION OF SALE

1. The Bidder should deposit EMD of Rs.10,000/- and obtain the Receipt well before the time of auction and the successful bidder fails to fulfill the condition of auction the EMD shall be forfeited.
2. The successful bidder has to pay 25% of the bid amount (inclusive of EMD) on the same day by way of cash or DD.
3. The successful bidder should bear all the expenses connected with registration/transfer etc.
4. The authorized officer may accept or reject the auction sale without assigning any reason there of.
5. The Bank is in no way responsible for any dues in respect of tax and any other expenses.
6. For inspection and any other information relating to this auction the intending bidders may contact The General Manager, Nyayamitra Sahakari Bank Niyamita, High Court Building, Bangalore-560 001,Phone No.080 – 22865939/22865937/29701228.
7. The Bank is not responsible for any discrepancy in details of land and building.

Date : 02.03.2024
Place : Bangalore

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Nyayamitra Sahakari Bank Niyamita

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ
ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಪಂಚಾಯತ ಧಾರವಾಡ
ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಇಂಜಿನೀಯರವರ ಕಚೇರಿ, ಗ್ರಾಮೀಣ ಕುಡಿಯುವ ನೀರು & ನೈರ್ಮಲ್ಯ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಧಾರವಾಡ

ಕ್ರ.ಸಂ./ಗ್ರಾ.ಕು.ನೀ.&ನೈ/ವಿಧಾ/ಕ.ಇಂ.1/ಇ–ಟೆಂಡರ/2023–24/1512 ದಿನಾಂಕ:01.03.2024

ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ

(ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರಮೆಂಟ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಮಾತ್ರ)

ವಿಷಯ : ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರನ ಕರೆ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ ಕುರಿತು.

ಮೇಲ್ಕಾಣಿಸಿದ ವಿಷಯಕ್ಕೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ ಧಾರವಾಡ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯ ನವಲಗುಂದ ತಾಲೂಕಿನ ಕುಡಿಯುವ ನೀರಿನ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳ ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ ಕರೆಯಲಾಗಿದೆ.
ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯ ವಿವರ ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನಂತಿದೆ.
ಧಾರವಾಡ ತಾಲೂಕ : ವರ್ಗ:ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ: RWSSD/2023-24/WS/WORK_INDENT7887 ಟೆಂಡರಗಿಟ್ಟ ಮೋತ್ತ: ರೂ.97.07 lakhs
ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮದ ವಿವರಗಳು ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನಂತಿವೆ. (Calander of Events)
1) ಟೆಂಡರ್ ದಾಖಲಾತಿಗಳನ್ನು ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯುರಮೆಂಟ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಡೌನಲೋಡ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ:02.03.2024 ರಿಂದ 13.03.2024.ರ 16.30 ಘಂಟೆವರೆಗೆ
2) ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಬಿಡ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ:14.03.2024 ಸಾಯಂಕಾಲ.4.30 ಘಂಟೆಗೆ
3) ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ಬಿಡ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ:ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಬಿಡ್ ಅನುಮೋದನೆಗೊಂಡ ನಂತರ.
ಸದರಿ ಮೇಲೆ ತಿಳಿಸಿದ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯ ಅಂತೀಮ ಹೆಸರು, ಟೆಂಡರಗಿಟ್ಟ ಮೊತ್ತ, ಇ.ಎಂ.ಡಿ ಮೊತ್ತ ಮುಂತಾದ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ kppp.karnataka.gov.in ನಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು. ಯಾವುದೇ ಕಾರಣ ನೀಡದೆ, ಟೆಂಡರಗಳನ್ನು ಸ್ವೀಕರಿಸುವ ಅಥವಾ ತಿರಸ್ಕರಿಸುವ ಅಧಿಕಾರವನ್ನು ಈ ಕೆಳಗೆ ಸಹಿ ಮಾಡಿದವರು ಹೊಂದಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ.

ಸಹಿ/– ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಇಂಜಿನೀಯರರು,
ಗ್ರಾಮೀಣ ಕುಡಿಯುವ
ನೀರು ಮತ್ತು ನೈರ್ಮಲ್ಯ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಧಾರವಾಡ

ವಾ.ಸಾ.ಇ./ಧಾರವಾಡ/870/ದೇಶಪಾಂಡೆಪಬ್ಲಿಸಿಟಿ/2023–24

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank

Ganganagar Branch
Bengaluru- 560 032
Ph : 080-23330121
E-mail: cb10458@canarabank.com

Possession Notice

APPENDIX IV under Act- Rule 8 (1) (For Immovable Property)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of the Canara Bank under Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **19.12.2023** calling upon the borrowers **Shivanna B** S/o. Bachappa, and **Mrs. S. Kamala,** W/o. Shivanna B., **Partners:- M/s. Manjunatha Enterprises,**(hereinafter referred to as "Borrower") to repay the amount mentioned in the Notice, being **Rs.24,72,550.64 (**Rupees Twenty Four Lakhs seventy two thousand five hundred fifty and paisa sixty four Only) within 60 days from the date of the said notice.
The Borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general, that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under Section13 (4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 & 9 of the said Rule on this **29th Day of February of the Year 2024.**
The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Canara Bank,** for an amount of **Rs.24,72,550.64 (**Rupees Twenty Four Lakhs seventy two thousand five hundred fifty and paisa sixty four Only) and interest thereon.

Description of the Immovable Property

All that part and parcel of the property consisting of property bearing Site No. 5, BBMP No. 53, carved out of Sy. No. 34/3, Khatha No. 43 of Cholayakanahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk presently situated at 2nd A Cross, 5th Main, Kanakanagar, Bengaluru, measuring East to West 40 feet and North to South 30 feet, presently falling within the administrative jurisdiction of Ward No. 96- Hebbal BBMP Bengaluru and assigned PID No. 96-161-53 and bounded on East by : Road, West by : Shamanna's Property, North by : Owner's Property, South by : Rathnamma's Property.

Date : 29.02.2024
Place : Bengaluru

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

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THE KARUR VYSYA BANK LTD
ASSET RECOVERY BRANCH
Divisional Office Building, No.6, Shri Vasavi Temple Road, Near Sajjan Rao Circle, V V Puram, Bangalore - 560004

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, **The Karur Vysya Bank Ltd,** the constructive/physical (whichever is applicable) possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **The Karur Vysya Bank Ltd.**, Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** on **20.03.2024,** for recovery of **Rs.97,49,613.76 (Rupees Ninety Seven Lakhs Forty Nine Thousand Six Hundred Thirteen and Seventy Six Paise only) as on 01.03.2024** due to **"The Karur Vysya Bank Ltd"**, Secured Creditor from **(1) Mrs. Lakshmi V S,** W/o. Mr. Srinivasa K. V, **(2) Mrs. Rathna Srinivas (Guarantor),** W/o. Mr. Srinivasa V, and **(3) Mr. Nagesh (Guarantor),** S/o. Mr. Srinivasa. V all residing at No. 14, 2nd Main Road, Malleshwaram, Bangalore- 21. The reserve price will be **Rs. 50,00,000/- (Rupees Fifty Lakhs Only)** and the earnest money deposit will be **Rs. 5,00,000/- (Rupees Five Lakhs only).**

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Residential Apartment bearing Flat No. 202 in the Second Floor, Block B in Wing D admeasuring a super builtup area of 1224 sqft in the apartment building known as "SRI KRISHNA EXCEL STONE", constructed over residential converted land bearing Sy No. 73/5 and 73/6 (converted vide official memorandum dated 06.07.2013 bearing no. ALN(EVH) SR/443/2012-13 issued by Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District), Khatha No. 359/73/5/73/6/17 situated at Balagere village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore together with 328 sqft of undivided share and a covered car parking space slot to be earmarked. East By: Corridor, West By: Open to sky, North By: Open to sky, South By: Corridor.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in our Bank's/ Secured Creditor's website i.e **www.kvb.co.in/Property** Under Auction also at the web portal **BankAuctions.in/ForeclosureIndia.com** of the service provider, **M/s. 4 closure.**

Statutory 30 Days' Notice under Rule 8(6) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002

The borrower/s and guarantor/s are hereby notified to pay the dues as mentioned above along with up to date interest and ancillary expenses before the date of e-Auction, failing which the Schedule property will be auctioned/sold and balance dues, if any, will be recovered with interest and cost.

Date : 02.03.2024
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorized Officer
THE KARUR VYSYA BANK LIMITED

BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE

Office of the Deputy Chief Information Officer, Information Technology Department, BBMP, Annex Building-2, Head Office Premises, N.R. Square, Bengaluru-560002

No.: BBMP/DCIO-IT/GL/905/2023-24 **Date: 02.03.2024**

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION

The Deputy Chief Information Officer, BBMP IT Department invites Proposals through Karnataka Public Procurement Portal from eligible companies for procurement of Desktop Computers & UPS to BBMP Zonal Offices & Head Office.
All Interested bidders shall submit their Technical and Commercial bids electronically through Karnataka Public Procurement Portal (https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in).
The Tender Schedule is as mentioned below:
(1) Tender Reference No.: **BBMP/DCIO-IT/GL/905/2023-24** **(2)** Date from which bid document is ready for download through Karnata

PUBLIC NOTICE

It is intended to purchase Plot number C-183, Peenya Industrial Area, in Nelakadaranahalli Village, Yeswanthpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk with land measuring 403.38 Sq.meters from its sole owner **Smt. Asha Shenoy,** proprietor MEC-TEK ENGINEERING, Peenya 2nd stage Bangalore. Any person allegedly having any kind of lien, interest or lawful claims on her or the firm, is called upon to place the objections **within 15 days,** failing which claims made later are NOT legally binding on me or other buyers.

Contact:

Sri. Sandeep Shenoy,
Hotel Century Executive,
Mosque Road, UDUPI-576101.
Date: 03/03/2024

SALE

60x40 East facing Independent House at prime location for Sale 45 squares building, Ground, 1st & 2nd Floor with 5 Bedrooms with attached bathroom, built with teak wood, Italian Marble Tiles, at BEML Layout, Basaveshwaranagar, Bangalore. Clear Titles & 'A' Katha. Rs.5.75 Crores. Party going out of station, Immediate Registration.

CONTACT:
98457 65559
98450 43282

KERALA WATER AUTHORITY e-TENDER NOTICE

Tender No : SE/PHC/KKD/185/2023-24

AMRUT - 1.0 - JICA Assisted Water Supply Project to Kozhikode Corporation and Adjoining Panchayaths - Instrumentation Works & SCADA. Supply of Electromagnetic Flow Meter, Butterfly Valve & Automation-General Civil Work. EMD: Rs. 200000; Tender fee: Rs. 11025 + (18%) GST; Last Date for submitting Tender: 03-04-2024, 04:00:pm; Phone: 0495-2371046
Website: www.kwa.kerala.gov.in, www.etenders.kerala.gov.in

Superintending Engineer
PH Circle, Kozhikode

KWA-JB-GL-6-2533-2023-24

KARNATAKA POWER CORPORATION LIMITED

CIN: U85110KA1970SGC001919

No.KPCL/2023-24/OW/WORK_INDENT1302 Date: 02.03.2024

NOTICE INVITING TENDER

(Through Karnataka Public Procurement portal only)
(Two Tender Document System)

Tenders are invited (through e-portal) from the eligible Bidders for **Beneficiation (Washing) of 24.75 lakh MT per year of raw coal from WCL collieries and supply of Beneficiated Coal (Washed Coal) to Raichur Thermal Power Station by rail route** on terms and conditions specified in the Tender Document. The last date for receipt of the completed bids is **17.00 hrs on 01.04.2024.** The tender document can be downloaded from the website: **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** Further details can be had from The Superintending Engineer (Mines), KPCL, No 82. Shakti Bhavan, III Floor, Race Course Road, Bengaluru-560 001. Telefax No. 080-22203894. e-Mail: **semineskpcl@gmail.com,** Website: **www.kpcl.karnataka.gov.in KPPP (e-Portal) helpdesk/ Hp help desk: +91-8046010000, +91-8068948777**

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN: U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No.: SEE/Tr(W&M)C/KLB/Civil/2023-24/5935-39 Date: 29.02.2024

BRIEF TENDER NOTIFICATION (KPP mode only)

KPTCL invites tenders for 03 numbers of Civil Engineering works coming under the jurisdiction of Transmission Circle, Kalaburagi.

The tender will be received through KPPP mode only. The detailed notification regarding the subject enquiry in the KPP process can be obtained by logging on to KPTCL website: **https://kptcl.karnataka.gov.in** on hyperlink **"E Procurement KPTCL" or directly logging on to website https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in on or after 04.03.2024.** Further details can be obtained from the office of the undersigned during office hours.

Sd/- Superintending Engineer(Ele)., Trans(W&M) Circle, KPTCL, Prasarana Bhavan, Sedam Road, Kalaburagi-585 105., Phone: 08472-262545.

SOUTH CENTRAL RAILWAY

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Details of the Tender Notices of S.C Railway can be seen on our website : www.scr.indianrailways.gov.in

Tender Notice No.61/2024
Dt.01.03.2021
Supply Of Stores Items

PUB/0211

E-procurement Tender Notice

The following Tenders have been floated online. Tenders are requested to visit the website **www.ireps.gov.in** and submit their offers online. The Tender Description, Qty, EMD, SD may be seen in website. offers submitted manually will not be accepted. Offers by post will not be entertained, Tender Closing time is 14:30 hrs of the Due date of the Tender. "For all indigenous offers, EMD will be accepted only via online system as available on **www.ireps.gov.in**

Tender No	Brief Description
30.23.3695B	POH KIT
LH245130A	Air dryer-twin tower heat less
85.23.1518	Cylindrical Roller Bearing
38.24.2039	Movable plate
38.24.2037	Wedge Shoe Complete
77.24.1017	Paid Enamel Smoke Grey
67.24.5001	Supply installation &Commissioning of
30.24.3511	Battery Box Complete
65.24.5001	Supply.Erection. testing
LH245388	Current insulated cylindrical roller
30.24.3505	Dual flush valve of 32 MM inlet& outlet
67.24.5002	Supply. Installation &Commissioning
60.23.5156	Supply of PSC sleepers isolated
16.24.1274	3 Yearly overhauling kit for HHP
67.24.5005	Supply.Erection. testing commissioning
29.23.1356	Set of labyrinth & bearing cap Driving
38.24.2366	New Doorway stiffening
82.24.0834A	Zonal rate contract supply(ph.no.65223)
82.24.0786	Zonal rate contract supply(ph.no.65235)
82.24.0004	Zonal rate contract supply (ph.no.10127)
82.24.4976	Zonal rate contract supply (ph.no.10123)
82.24.1449	Zonal rate contract supply(ph.no.10062)
82.24.1466	(PH NO.10088) Insulin Degludec 100 IU/
82.24.4177	Zonal rate contract supply (ph.no.25129)
82.24.0629	Zonal rate contract supply (ph.no.31280)
82.24.2558	Zonal rate contract supply (ph.no.25115)
82.24.4612	Zonal rate contract supply (ph.no 25146)
82.24.0235	Zonal rate contract supply (ph.no.25158)
82.24.4192	Zonal rate contract supply (ph.no.32094)
82.24.0560A	Zonal rate contract supply (ph.no.15032)
82.24.0557	Zonal rate contract supply (ph.no.65023)
82.24.0237	Zonal rate contract supply (ph.no.25160)
82.24.0516	Zonal rate contract supply (ph.no.25163)
82.24.0089A	Zonal rate contract supply (ph.no.25106)
29.24.1246A	Set of kits for E-70 Brake control unit
45.24.1092	Universal type Rectifier -cum-regulating
30.23.3695B	POH KIT
LH245130A	Air dryer-twin tower heat less generating
85.23.1518	Cylindrical Roller Bearing
38.24.2039	Movable plate
38.24.2037	Wedge shoe complete
77.24.1017	Paid Enamel Smoke Grey
67.24.5001	Supply installation & Commissioning
30.24.3511	Battery Box
	Complete
65.24.5001	Supply.Erection. testing
LH245388	Current insulated cylindrical roller

Note:- Due dates of Tender Opening

SL.No.01 on dt 11.03.2024.SL.No.02 on dt.13.03.2024 SLNo.03 on dt 14.03.2024 SL.No 04 &05 on dt 15.03.2024 SL.No 06 on dt 18.03.2024 SL.No 07 on dt 19.03.2024 SL No. 08 on dt 20.03.2024 SL No.09 to 11 on dt 21.03.2024 SL.No. 12 on dt. 22.03.2024 SL.No.13.on dt.25.03.2024 SL.No 14 to 17 on dt 26.03.2024 SL.No 18 to 27 on dt on dt 27.03.2024 SL No. 28 to 34 on dt SL.No.35 & 36 on dt 01.04.2024

CORRIGENDUM

Tender Notice No.60/2024 dt.19.02.2024.Tender No.52.24.5001.due on 11.03.2024. Brief.5 watt VHF Digital walkie talkie set without keypad and without Display. due date 18.03.2024 Instead of existing

Beside Above Mentioned Tenders There Are OtherTenders Having Value Below Rs. 25 Lakhs.For Details, Please Visit Railway WebsiteAbove.

Principal Chief Material Manager, Secunderabad
A0263

For further tender conditions / details and for downloading the tender documents, Please visit website at https://www.ireps.gov.in or www.scr.indianrailways.gov.in

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client **(1). Mr. HARIDAS.V.P.** Aged about 55 years, S/o. Mr. N.Parameswaran, and **(2). Mrs. AJITHA HARIDAS**, Aged about 50 years, W/o. Mr. Haridas.V.P, Both are residing Sreepadmam, Mullasseri Parambil, Gandhinagar Road, Near Gandhinagar Kaipuram Koorkaparambu, Thiruvegapura, Naduvattom Ottappalam Palakkad, Kerala-679308, intends to purchase the schedule property from **Mr. VENKATESH.M,** Aged about 58 years, S/o. Mr. D. Muniraju, Residing at No. 74, 8th Main, 6th Phase 1st Stage, Mahaganapatinagara, Rajajinagara, Bangalore- 560010. Those who are having any title, right, claim or interest in the Schedule property may contact me with their legitimate claims within 7 days, failing which my client will purchase the Schedule property, as the same is free from all claims/encumbrance and no claim shall be entertained later.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Vacant property bearing Site No. 24, Old Khatha No.51, New BBMP Khatha No. 62/51-2/24, Situated at Sriramapuram Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, measuring East to West: 40 feet and North to South: 30 feet, totally measuring 1200 Sq.ft., and bounded on East by Road, West by: Property No.11, North by: Property No. 25, South by: Property No. 23;

K.M. PRABHU, Advocate,
M/s S.P.R. LAW ASSOCIATES,
48, 1st Floor, 12th Cross, Opp. Veterinary College, Lakshmaiah Block, Ganganagar, Bangalore- 560024. Mob.9731122059

IN THE COURT OF THE PRINCIPAL JUDGE, FAMILY COURT AT EAST SINGHBHUM JAMSHEDPUR.
Org. Suit No 724/2023

Sumit Kumari ....Petitioner
-Versus-
Santosh Prasad ....Respondent

NOTICE THROUGH PUBLICATION

TO,
Santosh Prasad W/o Sri Bachchu Prasad R/o 22031, Prestige Shanti Niketan JTPL, Main Road,, Opposite Manipal Hospital, Bangalore, Karnataka, Pin-560048

Whereas the applicant Sumit Kumari has filed the case in this court U/s 13 (1) (ia) of the H. M. Act and notice have been issued through the registered post as well as Nazarat but you have failed to appear before this court.

You are hereby directed to appear before this court Physically on 04th day of April 2024 at 7:30 AM to answer the same, failing which, the case shall be heard Ex Parte in your absence in accordance with law.

Given under my hand and seal of this court 22th day of February, 2024
AMITESH LAL
PRINCIPAL JUDGE
Family Court, Jamshedpur

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client intends to purchase Eastern portion of site Nos. 117 & 118 presently under the purview of BBMP Vidyaranyapura Sub Division, Bangalore, Ward No. 10, bearing BBMP Khata No. 177/178/4/117/118/1 situate at Ramchandrapura Village, Yelahanka Hobli, previously Bangalore North Taluka measuring East to West 30 ft. and North to South 40' totally measuring 1200 sq.ft. alongwith building comprising of ground plus two floors, with civic amenities and which is bounded to the East by site No. 119, to the West by remaining portion of same site Nos. 117 & 118, to the North by Road, and to the South by site No. 115 from its owners Shri B. Kumarswamy Naidu and Mrs. B. Latha.

The owners claim that they have clear marketable title over the property and that the same is free from claims, objections or encumbrances and therefore they are fully competent to sell the property. Anybody having any claims, objections or encumbrance over the above referred property are requested to put forth the same alongwith documentary proof within 07 days from the date of publication of this notice before me. If no such claims or objections are received by me within 07 days, my client will be advised to complete the sale transaction and no claims or objections shall be entered thereafter, which please note.

Sd/- Sangram S. Kulkarni
B.Com, LL.B (Spl). ACA, Advocate,
Hari Mandir Road, Angol,
Belagavi - 560006. **M : 9844734464**

IN THE COURT OF THE HON'BLE ADDITIONAL SMALL CAUSES COURT AT MAYO HALL BANGALORE (SCCH-20)
C.C. No. 51535/2021

BETWEEN : M/s. VTS TF Air Systems Private Limited, #2150, 2nd Floor, 17th Main Road, HAL 2nd Stage, Indiranagar, Bangalore-560008. **...COMPLAINANT**

AND : M/s. Empire Cooling Solutions Private Limited, No. 7, 2nd Floor, Raj Apartments, No. 47, 4th Cross, Near U P Royale Complex, Malleshwaram, Bangalore - 560003. **...ACCUSED No.1**

Raghava Rajagopal, Flat S-1, Swathi Swara Apartment, 1st Main, AECS Layout, Near RMV Hospital, Sanjaynagar, Bengaluru 560094. **...ACCUSED No.2**

Nalini Rajgopal, Flat S-1, Swathi Swara Apartment, 1st Main, AECS Layout, Near RMV Hospital, Sanjaynagar, Bengaluru 560094. **...ACCUSED No.3**

PROCLAMATION ORDER TO ATTACHMENT TO COMPEL THE ATTENDANCE OF ACCUSED UNDER SECTION 82 AND 83 CODE OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE, 1973

Whereas, a non-bailable warrant (NBW) was duly issued to compel the attendance of the Accused before this Hon'ble Court. The Accused have committed an offence under Section 138 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 and a Complaint has been registered before this Hon'ble Court which is numbered as CC No. 51535/2021.

Whereas a NBW was been issued to the Accused and the same has returned as not served and it is shown to my satisfaction that the Accused have absconded and thereupon a proclamation has been or is being duly issued and published requiring the said Accused to appear before the Court of Small Cause Bengaluru (Mayo Hall Unit) **on the 27th of March 2024 at 11:00 a.m.**

The Jurisdictional police are hereby ordered to attach by seizure the movable/immovable property belonging to the Accused who are residing in the addresses as mentioned below:-

M/s. Empire Cooling Solutions Private Limited, No. 7, 2nd Floor, Raj Apartments, No. 47, 4th Cross, Near U P Royale Complex, Malleshwaram, Bangalore - 560003.

Raghava Rajagopal, Flat S-1, Swathi Swara Apartment, 1st Main, AECS Layout, Near RMV Hospital, Sanjaynagar, Bengaluru-560094.

Nalini Rajgopal, Flat S-1, Swathi Swara Apartment, 1st Main, AECS Layout, Near RMV Hospital, Sanjaynagar, Bengaluru-560094.

and hold the said property under attachment pending further order of the court and to return the warrant with an endorsement certifying of its execution.

By Order of the Hon'ble Small Causes Court at Bangalore (Mayo Hall Unit) 26.02.2024.

By Order of the Court, Sheristedar, Court of Small Causes, Mayo Hall Unit, Bengaluru.

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ
ಸಹಾಯಕ ಅರಣ್ಯ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿ ಹುಣಸೂರು
ವಜ್ಯಜೀವಿ ಉಪವಿಭಾಗ, ಹುಣಸೂರು
ದೂ.08222-252041 e-mail –acfhunsur2020@gmail.com
ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ/ಸ.ಅ.ಸಂ.ಹುವಲು/ಪಿ.ಆರ್-02/2023-24 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 20.02.2024

ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಅಧಿಸೂಚನೆ

2024-25ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನಲ್ಲಿ ನಾಗರಹೊಳೆ ಹುಲಿ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಿತ ಪ್ರದೇಶದ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಯ ವಿವಿಧ ವನ್ಯಜೀವಿ ವಲಯಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಇರುವ 54 ಕಳ್ಳಬೇಟೆ ಶಿಬಿರ ಹಾಗೂ 03 ಕ್ಷಿಪ್ರ ಕಾರ್ಯಪಡೆ ಶಿಬಿರಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಕಾರ್ಯ ನಿರ್ವಹಿಸುತ್ತಿರುವ ಸಿಬ್ಬಂದಿ ವರ್ಗದವರಿಗೆ 01.04.2024 ರಿಂದ 31.03.2025ರ ವರೆಗೆ ವಿವಿಧ ಪಡಿತರ ಸಾಮಾಗ್ರಿಗಳನ್ನು ಸರಬರಾಜು ಮಾಡುವ ಸಂಬಂಧ ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಇಚ್ಛೆಯುಳ್ಳ ಸರಬರಾಜು ದಾರರು ಕೆಳಕಂಡ ದಿನಾಂಕದಂದು ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ.
ಸರಬರಾಜು ವಿವರ: ಕಳ್ಳಬೇಟೆ ಶಿಬಿರ /ಕ್ಷಿಪ್ರ ಕಾರ್ಯಪಡೆ ಶಿಬಿರಗಳಿಗೆ ವಿವಿಧ ಪಡಿತರ ಸಾಮಾಗ್ರಿಗಳ ಸರಬರಾಜು. **ಅಂದಾಜು ಮೊತ್ತ (ರೂ. ಲಕ್ಷಗಳಲ್ಲಿ):** 71.136

● ಮೇಲಿನ ಅನುಸೂಚಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಿರುವ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳು ಸರ್ಕಾರದಿಂದ ನಿಗಧಿಪಡಿಸಿರುವ ಅನುದಾನ ಮತ್ತು ಬಿಡುಗಡೆಯಾಗುವ ಅನುದಾನದ ನಿರೀಕ್ಷೆಯಲ್ಲಿಟೆಂಡರ್ ಹಾವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ● ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲು ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿ: 06.03.2024 ● ಮರು ಟೆಂಡರ್ ದಿ: 13.03.2024 ● ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಮಾಹಿತಿಗಾಗಿ ಕಛೇರಿ ವೇಳೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಸಂಪರ್ಕಿಸಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ

ಸಹಿ/- ಸಹಾಯಕ ಅರಣ್ಯ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿ

DIPR/DDMYS/KSMCA/1226/2023-24

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ
ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಪಂಚಾಯತ್, ಮಂಡ್ಯ
ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಕಾರ್ಯಾಲಯ,
ಅಲ್ಪಸಂಖ್ಯಾತರ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣ ಇಲಾಖೆ, ಮಂಡ್ಯ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ, ಮಂಡ್ಯ
ಮೌಲಾನಾ ಆಜಾದ್ ಭವನ, ಕೆರೆಯಂಗಳ, ಬೀಡಿ ಕಾಲೋನಿ
ಮಂಡ್ಯ-571401. ದೂರವಾಣಿ ಸಂ:08232-297240.
E-Mail:dommandya@gmail.com
ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ:ಅಸಂಕಇ(3)/ಆಹಾರ-ಟೆಂಡರ್/ಸಿ.ಆರ್-04/2023-24.
ದಿನಾಂಕ:-01.03.2024.

ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಮರು ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ

ಮಂಡ್ಯ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಅಲ್ಪಸಂಖ್ಯಾತರ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣ ಇಲಾಖಾ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಬರುವ ಮೆಟ್ರಿಕ್ ನಂತರದ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿನಿಲಯಗಳು/ವಸತಿ ಶಾಲೆಗಳಿಗೆ "ಗ್ರೂಪ್-ಎ ಗ್ರೂಪ್-ಬಿ , ಗ್ರೂಪ್-ಸಿ ಮತ್ತು ಗ್ರೂಪ್-ಡಿ ಆಹಾರ ಪದಾರ್ಥಗಳ ಪೂರೈಕೆಗಾಗಿ ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಮರುಟೆಂಡರ್ ಅನ್ನು (ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ:-**MWD/2023-24/IND0047/CALL-2)** ದ್ವಿ-ಲಕೋಟೆ ಪದ್ಧತಿಯಂತೆ ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದ್ದು, ಅರ್ಹ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯವರು ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಅನ್ನು ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ. ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲು ಅಂತಿಮ ದಿನಾಂಕ:**16.03.2024 ಸಂಜೆ 5.00 ಗಂಟೆಯಾಗಿದ್ದು,** ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಮಾಹಿತಿಗಾಗಿ **Website: https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** ಅಥವಾ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಕಛೇರಿ ಅಲ್ಪಸಂಖ್ಯಾತರ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣ ಇಲಾಖೆ, ಮಂಡ್ಯ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ ಕಛೇರಿಯನ್ನು ಸಂಪರ್ಕಿಸಲು ಕೋರಿದೆ.

ಸಹಿ/-ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿ,
ಅಲ್ಪಸಂಖ್ಯಾತರ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣ ಇಲಾಖೆ, ಮಂಡ್ಯ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ

ಜಾಸಾಸಂಇ/ಸಹಿ-ಮಂ/ಕೆಮಸ್ಎಂಸಿಇ/624/2023-24

Indian Overseas Bank

R T NAGAR BRANCH (1537): No.402, 3rd Main, 2nd Block, R T Nagar, Bengaluru-560032. Ph: 080-22950331

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002. Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the borrower(s) and guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/ charged to the Secured Creditor, the constructive possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **Indian Overseas Bank,** Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is"** and **"Whatever there is"** on **16.03.2024** for recovery of **Rs.27,91,772.37 (Rupees Twenty Seven Lakh Ninety One Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy Two and Thirty Seven Paise Only)** with further costs & interests thereon from **02.02.2024** due to the **Indian Overseas Bank,** Secured Creditor from the borrower(s) & Guarantors: **1) Mr. Deepthi Harsha (Borrower),** Site No.89, Flat No.101, Park View Apartment, 2nd Cross, 4th Main, Rajmahal Vilas Extension II Stage, ITI Lay Out, MSR Nagar, Bangalore-560054. **2) Mr. N. Rama Reddy (Borrower),** Site No.89, Flat No.101, Park View Apartment, 2nd Cross, 4th Main, Rajmahal Vilas Extension II Stage, ITI Lay Out, MSR Nagar, Bangalore-560054. **3) Ms. Suguna Reddy (Guarantor),** Site No.89, Flat No.101, Park View Apartment, 2nd Cross, 4th Main, Rajmahal Vilas Extension II Stage, ITI Lay Out, MSR Nagar, Bangalore.560054.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY(IES)

Residential flat measuring 1100 Sq.ft. (UDS287.46 Sq.ft.) in 1st Floor at Site No.89, Flat No.101, Park View Residency, 2nd Cross, 4th Main, Rajmahal Vilas Extension II Stage presently bearing BBMP Khata No.89 identified by PID No.4-163-89 ITI Layout, MSR Nagar, Bangalore-560054. **Boundaries: East by:** Road, **West by:** Property No.94, **North by:** Road, **South by:** Property No.88. Property is in the name of **Mr. Deepthi Harsha** and **Mr. Rama Reddy.**

RESERVE PRICE: Rs.65,36,000/- EMD: Rs.6,53,600/-
BID INCREASE AMOUNT: Rs.25,000/-

Date and Time of E-Auction: 16.03.2024 between 11:00 A.M. to 04:00 P.M. (time) with auto extension of 10 minutes each till sale is completed at the platform of **https://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ ibapi.**

Last date for submission of bid with EMD: 15.03.2024 before 05:00 P.M.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the service providers link or bank's website **https://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ ibapi**

This may also be treated as a Notice under Rule 8(6)/ Rule 9(1) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 to the borrower/s and guarantor/s of the said loan about holding of e-auction on the above mentioned date.

Date: 29.02.2024, Place: Bangalore Sd/- Authorised Officer, Indian Overseas Bank

OFFICE OF THE SEARCH COMMITTEE

Constituted under Section 4(3) of the Odisha Lokayukta Act, 2014.
Room No. 1, State Guest House, Bhubaneswar, Odisha.
Web-portal: www.odishalokayuktasearchcommittee.in
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EMPANELMENT OF CANDIDATES FOR FILLING UP THE POSTS OF CHAIRPERSON AND MEMBERS OF THE ODISHA LOKAYUKTA UNDER THE ODISHA LOKAYUKTA ACT, 2014(0disha Act 12 of 2018).

T-179: Applications are invited for filling up 1(one) post of Chairperson and 5 (five) posts of Members (out of which 2(two) Judicial Members and 03 Non-Judicial Members) in the Lokayukta of Odisha.

Eligibility criteria (age, qualification, area of special knowledge and expertise and years of experience and other details) are available under Advertisement No. **GAD-LK-LOK-0003-2024/02-OLSC, Dt. 28th February, 2024** on the Search Committee's website **www.odishalokayuktasearchcommittee.in** along with a link for online submission of application/nomination. Applicants and Nominating Authorities are advised to go through the detailed advertisement before filling in application/nomination form.

- **Date of online submission of application/nomination: From 01.03.2024 to -05.00 PM of 11.03.2024.**
- All applicants must submit their applications in the proforma prescribed in the web portal (www.odishalokayuktasearchcommittee.in). Physical applications shall not be accepted. Applications which are not in the prescribed proforma will be summarily rejected.
- Provided, that nominations recommended by Hon'ble Chief Justice of India, Hon'ble Chief Justice/s of High Court and Hon'ble Former Chief Justice/s of High Courts (except self) will be accepted in offline mode. The recommended nominations will have to emailed at: lokayuktasearchcommittee@gmail.com .

Place: Bhubaneswar
Date: 28.02.2024

Sd/-
Additional Chief Secretary to Government, General Administration & Public Grievance Department and Convener, Search Committee

OIPR-09010/11/0005/2324

Canara Bank

A Government of India Undertaking

ARM Branch - II, 2nd Floor, Circle Office, Spencer Towers, No. 86, MG Road, Bengaluru - 560001
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SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

(Under Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002)

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged /charged to the **Secured Creditor,** the possession of which has been taken by the **Canara Bank, ARM Branch II Bangalore-1** will be sold **"As is where is", "As is what is", and " Whatever there is"** basis for recovery of outstanding dues from below mentioned Borrowers. The Reserve Price and the Earnest Money Deposit is mentioned below.

Name of Borrowers and Guarantors	Total Liabilities as per Sale Notice	Description of Immovable Assets	Auction Date & Time	Reserve Price and Earnest Money Deposit [EMD] Date & Time	1) Incremental Value at Bid 2) A/c No. & IFSC
1. M/S Blueclif Apparels India Pvt Ltd, No.410, Old PID No.38/56, Vaijayanth Arcade, Gurusarvabhoma Nagar, ITI Layout, 3rd Phase, Opp.Gopalan Arcade, Mysore Road, Kenkeri Hobli, Bengaluru 560039 **And also at : M/S Blueclif Apparels India Pvt Ltd,** No 26 1st Main Road, Nayandahalli South Badavane, Kengeri Hobli,Bengaluru - 560039 **2. Mr.Sreejith P,** S/o K K Narayana Nambiar, Kalathil Valappil House, Maruvancheri P O, Kanhileri, Sivapuram, Kannur District, Kerala - 670702 **And also at : Mr.Sreejith P,** S/O Narayanan Nambiar K K, #139 Balaji Layout, Uttarahalli, Bengaluru – 562159 **3. Mr.Shashikantha M K,** S/o M S Krishne Gowda, 2/372 Ward No 2, 2nd Cross, Vinayaka Badavane, K R Nagara, Mysuru 571602 **And also at : Mr.Shashikantha M K,** S/o M S Krishne Gowda, No.67, 2nd Cross, 4th Main, Vijayashreepura, Mysore - 570006 **4. Mrs.Chowdamma,** W/O Chandrappa No 50 Old, Church Road S T Street Marathahalli, Colony Bangalore North, Bangalore, Karnataka 560037 **5. Mr.Shaji P,** S/o K K Narayana Nambiar, Kalathil Valappil House, Maruvancheri P O, Kanhileri, Sivapuram, Kannur District, Kerala – 670702	**Rs.7,95,25,269.17** (Rupees Seven Crore Ninety Five Lakhs Twenty Five Thousand Two Hundred Sixty Nine and Paise Seventeen only) as on 29.02.2024 plus further interest thereon from 01.03.2024 along with expenses, other charges, etc.	**As per the document:** All the Part and Parcel of the property bearing BBMP Katha No. 84/81/215, CMC Katha No. 81, Old HASB Khaneshumari No. 210/69, measuring an extent of 3375 sq ft of land(East to West 45 ft, North to South 75 ft), situated at Government School Road, Marathahalli, Varthur Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk, previously Mahadevapura CMC limits, presently within the jurisdiction of BBMP in Ward No. 86 and the building there on. **Bounded on: East by** Property of Ulsoor Krishnappa **West by** Property of Kanthamma **North by** Road **South by** A.K.Colony **Actual :** All the Part and Parcel of the property bearing BBMP Katha No. 84/81/215, CMC Katha No. 81, Old HASB Khaneshumari No. 210/69, measuring an extent of 2815 sq ft of land(East to West 40.75ft, North to South 69ft), situated at Government School Road, Marathahalli, Varthur Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk, previously Mahadevapura CMC limits, presently within the jurisdiction of BBMP in Ward No. 86 and the building there on. **Bounded on: East by** Property of Ulsoor Krishnappa **West by** Property of Kanthamma **North by** Road **South by** A.K.Colony	**18/03/2024 from 11.00 A.M. to 11.30 A.M.**	**Reserve Price:** Rs.350.55 Lakhs **EMD:** Rs.35.10 Lakhs **15/03/2024** up to **3.00 PM.**	1) Multiplies of Rs.50,000/- 2) A/c No. 209272434 IFSC : CNRB0006298 **Encumbrance (s):** Not Known to the Bank
Mr H B Veerachar **S/o H P Bhaskarachar** No 95/349, Sy No 23, Katha No 64 Andrahalli, Bengaluru - 560091 **Also At :** 63/3 2nd Cross, Sri Gandhadanagar, Hegganahalli Cross, Bangalore -560091	**Rs. 68,35,436/-** (Rupees Sixty Eight lakhs thirty five thousand four hundred and thirty six only/-) of H B Veerachar including costs and interest as on 02.03.2024. together with future interest, expenses and costs etc till realization	Residential land and building bearing Site No 95/349 Sy No 23, Khatha NO 3172 Andrahalli Yashwanthapura Hobli, Bengaluru North - 560091 measurin East to west 30Ft and North to South 40Ft totaling to a extent of 1200sqft, bounded on the North by Site no 92, South by road, East by Site No 96 and West by Site No 94.	**21.03.2024 10.30 A M to 11.00 Noon**	**Reserve Price:** Rs. 1,08,10,000/- **EMD:** Rs. 10,81,000/- **before 19.03.2024 at 3.00pm.**	1) Multiplies of Rs.50,000/- 2) A/c No. 209272434 IFSC : CNRB0006298 **Encumbrance (s):** Not Known to the Bank
1. Mr. Chakali Narayanappa Prop : M/s GRS Enterprises No.201, Mahalaxmi Residency, 04/04, 6th Cross, Ashok Nagar, Banashankari 1st Stage, Bengaluru - 560050 **2. Mrs. Sujatha Y A** W/o Sri.C Narayanappa No. 201,Mahalaxmi Residency, 04/04, 6th Cross, Ashok Nagar, Banashankari 1st Stage, Bengaluru - 560050 **3. Smt. Lokamatha** w/o Sri.Lakshminarayana, Residing at : No.779, 14th Cross, 7th Block, Jayanagar West, Bengaluru - 560082.	**Rs. 3,99,87,095.91/-** (Rupees Three crores ninety nine lacs eighty seven thousand ninety five and paise ninety one only) including costs and interest as on 02/03/2024 together with future interest, expenses and costs etc till realization.	**Schedule A Property :** All that piece and parcel of Immoveable property Residential Flat bearing No.G-1, Ground Floor, "Mahalakshmi Residency" Apartments, Site No.4/4 (Old No.30), 7th Cross, Ashok Nagar, BSK 1st Stage, Bengaluru 560050 totally measuring 1350 sqft and bounded on the East by Entrance and Corridor, West by open to sky, South by Open to Sky and North by Flat No.G-2. **Schedule B Property :** An undivided share equivalent to 370 Square Feet in the schedule 'A' property **Schedule C Property (Flat put up for sale) :** A 3 Bedroom Apartment bearing no G-1, Ground Floor, Property No.4/4, Old No.30, PID No.51-45-4/4, 7th Cross, "Mahalakshmi Residency Apartments, Ashok Nagar, BSK 1st Stage, Bengaluru - 560050 in the Ground Floor of "G 1"Block in the multi storied building known as "MAHALAKSHMI RESIDENCY" with a super built up area of 1350 square feet(which is inclusive of balconies and a proportionate share in the common areas) with car parking space in stilt floor or basement ,constructed on Schedule "A" Property.	**22/03/2024 10.30 A M to 11.00 A M**	**Reserve Price:** Rs. 93.00 Lakhs **EMD:** Rs. 9,30,000/- **before 20/03/2024 3.00 pm.**	1) Multiplies of Rs.50,000/- 2) A/c No. 209272434 IFSC : CNRB0006298 **Encumbrance (s):** Not Known to the Bank
1. M/s Nishi Forex & Leisure Pvt Ltd No. 536, Ground Floor, Amar Jyothi Layout, Domlur 100 feet Intermediate Ring Road, Bangalore-560071 **2. Sri. Ramachandra K, Director-Guarantor** S/o Kuppanna, No. 936, 11th Main Road, HAL 2nd Stage, Indiranagar, Bangalore-560008 Also at : No.

"It is not true that people stop pursuing dreams because they grow old, they grow old because they stop pursuing dreams

Gabriel García Márquez

INDIA'S ECONOMY: KNOWN KNOWNS AND KNOWN UNKNOWNS

THE THIRD EYE

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AN old maxim states that people, in general, are quick to believe that which they wish to be true. The truism—attributed to Julius Caesar—plays out in India's public discourse rather predictably every few months. The episodes of ricocheting rhetoric with surround sound effects follow the release of data on the state of the economy.

Typically, in the intensely polarised political amphitheatre, every episode finds the believers singing the rah-rah raag and the sceptical atheists argue in disbelief. The agnostic folks are left querying the experiential for answers.

On Thursday, India and the world at large was informed that the economy will end the year with a GDP growth of 7.6 percent—up from 7.3 percent pronounced on January 5. The superlative performance produced what is colloquially termed as sticker shock. After all, till as late as in December 2023, the RBI's Survey of Professional Forecasters "assigned highest probability to real GDP growth in the wider range 6.0-6.9 percent for 2023-24".

The upgrade in growth follows a flurry of revisions for previous years and quarters—growth for 2022-23 was scaled down and revised upwards for the current year's first three quarters—including the revelation that economy grew at 8.4 percent between October and December 2023. There has been much lather generated on the 8.4 percent GDP growth, while the gross value added or GVA for the period was 6.5 percent. The explanation for the lower GVA is explained by a lower spend on subsidies. (The CSO defines GDP= GVA + taxes – subsidies.) Interestingly, the GVA has slid sequentially for three quarters from 8.2 percent to 6.5 percent and probably deserves a more elaborate explanation.

Debates on the state of the economy are often waylaid by conspiracy theories and lost in minutiae of data. It is manifest that the economy has performed better than expected and forecasted. This is visible in the data on expenditure on infrastructure, in the rise in revenues both in GST and direct taxes. The GDP estimates also reveal a robust growth in manufacturing and construction—again validated by growth in earnings and, of course, the stellar rise of the stock indices.

That said, not everything is hunky dory and there is reason for the rah-rah brigade to temper the tempo. The estimates also signal a slowdown in velocity and momentum of growth—the end-of-year projection 7.6 percent suggests GDP growth in the fourth quarter would be sub-6 percent. As with other elements of social order, economic growth too is governed by the law of averages. Is this dip an aberration, a statistical effect, or is there a structural issue that must be addressed to sustain growth?

Data suggests not everyone is joining the party. The fact that private consumption is growing at barely 3 percent even though the GDP is surging at 7.6 percent should be a cause for concern. To appreciate the significance of this data point, it is useful to note that consumption accounts for 55.6 percent of the GDP. The question which begs an answer is whether the slide in consumption is a seasonal issue or a fundamental fall in the ability to spend?

The context is critical. Government intervention is designed to mitigate suffering and create room in household budgets. Consumption is stalling despite an aggressive expansion of welfare—food rations to over 810 million, healthcare to over 500 million, rural jobs to over 160 million, besides cash transfers, provision of houses and consumables. The impact has been visible in the sales of entry-level goods and earnings of consumer goods and durable makers—indeed, in the run up to the interim budget, industry chambers argued for the expansion of welfare benefits. It has been argued that India's growth story is investment-led, but those who argue so would know that there is a statute of limitations and the consequences are visible in the neighbourhood.

The other worrisome data point in the GDP estimates concerns two of India's largest employers—services, which account for a bulk of new jobs, and agriculture, which employs over 45 percent of the workforce. Agriculture, which contracted in the third quarter, may end the year with a growth of 0.7 percent. The service sector, which accounts for a major share of the economy, has lagged and is stalling well below historic levels of double-digit growth. Beyond the data, there are vignettes from the political economy worthy of attention—of 48 lakh youth applying for 60,000 jobs, the consistency of paper leak scams across states, the steep drop in placement of students at engineering and management colleges.

There are immediate issues and then there are long-term issues which call for attention. IT and IT services are among the largest employers in India after security service agencies. Last fortnight, NVidia chief Jensen Huang declared AI will kill coding. Add the accelerated adoption of generative AI reflected in investments nearing $200 billion by global companies. India's challenges could well be its opportunities.

India's economy is poised at the intersection of known knowns and known unknowns. The data presented by the advance estimate is a useful compass. There is a need for a debate on the trajectory of economic growth, the challenges reflected by the data, the underlying conditions that hinder growth—and the mapping of who is gaining and who is lagging. Remember, momentum is mass x velocity.

WHEN MUFASA ROARS, NEWBORN SIMBAS AMPLIFY

POWER & POLITICS

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IF Prime Minister Narendra Modi is Mufasa, the Lion King, the state chief ministers are his loyal Simbas. As he embarks on his eight-week-long Vote Yatra of his kingdom, the BJP is expecting the state chief ministers to extend his aura. As the chief ministers are the second engine for the BJP in each state, the hauling capacity of each one of them will decide the final numbers. Of the 12 BJP chief ministers, the six from Gujarat, Uttarakhand, Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan, Chhattisgarh and Assam will be leading their states in the Lok Sabha elections for the first time. Maharashtra will also go to the polls under the leadership of BJP ally Eknath Shinde. The seven states account for 158 seats. The BJP and its ally Shiv Sena won 142 from the states in 2019.

Undoubtedly, the prime minister is combatively canvassing for a record term propelled by his personality rather than his party; yet, he is monitoring the regional leaders, including the chief ministers chosen directly by him. While he is concentrating on his road shows and massively-attended public meetings coupled with a high-voltage media blitz, the mobilisation of the voters has been left to state units. All the chief ministers would be tested on three parameters—performance, connectivity and acceptability. Most of them are from the RSS and its student wing, the Akhil Bharatiya Vidyarthi Parishad, and are expected to beat the double incumbency of the decade-old rule at the Centre and in their own states.

Maharashtra, with 48 seats, is top of the mind for BJP leaders. It is going to play a decisive role in Modi's magic target of '400 *paar abki baar*' for the NDA. In 2019, out of a total of 48 seats, the BJP won 23 and its ally Shiv Sena 18 seats under the leadership of first-time Chief Minister Devendra Fadnavis, who is now the deputy chief minister. Though it was more a mandate in favour of the prime minister, the local leadership fought as a cohesive team.

Now the state is led by the rebel Shiv Sena leader Shinde. An unforgiving leader by nature, Shinde, 60, is considered a lightweight when it comes to cadre management and grassroots workers. While the BJP is confident about its repeat performance, it is the Shiv Sena under Shinde which is causing headaches. Any fall in its tally of 18 will mount pressure on the BJP to gain more seats in other states. Shinde appears to be the slower part of the double-engine sarkar.

Madhya Pradesh, with 29 seats, is equally important for the prime minister to achieve his target of 370 seats for the BJP. The BJP won 28 of the 29 seats even while the Congress was in power in the state. But soon after winning the state election in December last year, Modi took a calculated risk by replacing old warhorse Shivraj Chouhan with the relatively less known Mohan Yadav, 58, as the state's 19th chief minister. The companionable, clean and affable OBC leader was chosen not because he is a Yadav, but because he wasn't part of any faction. Moreover, he keeps a low profile and has been carrying forward the Hindutva agenda with fierce determination. With the eclipse of the BJP's tall leaders and the Congress ailing, Yadav doesn't face any threat to his leadership and is better placed to convert Modi's mesmerising appeal into votes.

Gujarat, with 26 seats, is a diehard saffron state. The BJP has been in power for almost three decades. It delivered all the 26 seats to the BJP when Vijay Rupani was chief minister. Bhupinder Rajnikant Patel, 61, a civil engineer, has been the 17th chief minister since 2021. An unpretentious Patel has managed the state without any controversies either in the government or in the organisation. Gujarat and Modi are made for each other. Patel cannot afford to lose a single seat in a state which has given India its most powerful and popular prime minister.

Rajasthan, with 25 seats, is perhaps the weakest state for the BJP. During 2019, it won 24 seats in the name of Modi even while the wily Congress Chief Minister Ashok Gehlot was ruling. But now the BJP has catapulted a first-time MLA, Bhajan Lal Sharma, 56, as the state's 14th chief minister. A former ABVP activist, the lacklustre Sharma hasn't shown any administrative or political skills so far. Though he has been provided with two experienced and relatively more popular deputy chief ministers, Sharma faces the uphill task of a strong Congress in the state. He hasn't led the party in any election. Nor has he held any significant party posts. While Modi may be able to move the voters in his favour by his charismatic posturing, Sharma will have to accelerate the speed of the premier engine.

Assam, with 14 seats, is the BJP's gateway to the Northeast. The BJP won nine seats in 2019. Now it is going to fight the elections under the leadership of a former Congressman. The belligerent Himanta Biswa Sarma, 55, the 15th chief minister since 2021, is the BJP's ace troubleshooter. His state may be small in numbers, but the BJP is heavily dependent on him for making and breaking opposition parties. By his deeds and words, he has turned out to be more ardently Hindu than the Hindutva party could have imagined. He has put in place many legislative measures which have taken away all special privileges of minority communities. He is at the forefront of pushing illegal immigrants out of the state and saffronising the entire Northeast.

Chhattisgarh, with 11 seats, is going to polls under the first-time chief minister Vishnu Deo Sai, 60, an approachable team leader. As the fourth chief minister of Chhattisgarh, Sai is the first tribal leader to lead the state. He is the most experienced political leader to be chosen to lead the state, having held various positions like Union minister, party president and even a state minister. Soon after taking over, he began with a bang by implementing various welfare and developmental schemes along with taking forward the Hindutva agenda. He is expected to deliver all the 11 seats as against the nine the party won in 2019.

Uttarakhand, with just five seats, is equally important for the BJP as it is also being led by a first-time chief minister. Pushkar Singh Dhami, a diminutive and soft-spoken former RSS worker, has acquired the image of a leader with a mission. Handpicked by the prime minister even after he lost the assembly elections, he is the first chief minister in the country to take legislative measures for the implementation of a Uniform Civil Code.

The prime minister doesn't need allies or aides to win his third term. Modi is the man, the prime medium, the message and the marketer. The chief ministers are merely his messengers.

SLOW RETURN OF THE INDIAN JOINT FAMILY

OPINION

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JOINT families living in palatial houses is now a stuff of fiction. A few generations back, it was the norm. In fact, the big houses were built keeping in mind the growing family, which it was assumed would live together. One or two members may step out and settle faraway, but most people stuck together. This was especially true for business families, as they were tied both personally and professionally.

Post independence, migration to urban India and then to the western world became a trend. So people flooded to cities like Delhi and Mumbai in search of livelihood. Those who went to study abroad grabbed the opportunities available in the developed world. The result was the scattering of families across the world, making us global families. It led to deserted villages and the slow death of large family homes.

Parallelly, with active family planning campaigns, the average size of the Indian family kept going down. Today, we have a substantial number of families with no children or just one child. The number of people who chose to stay unmarried shot up. So, as families, we not just spread ourselves thin geographically, but also shrunk in size. Extreme focus on career and professional growth came in the way of family bonding and size, if I may say.

It all works well while the days are good. But, come bad days in terms of diseases, accidents, bereavements, and we all need our immediate families around. We saw great stress during the pandemic when many children could not perform the last rites of parents or be there with them. Triggered by these events or advancement of age, we all felt the need of being close to our family. We realised the need to balance our independence with family ties. In the meantime, our homes have shrunk with the family size. Houses have given way to apartments that come with limited space. More than space, they are designed not to provide privacy to multiple generations living together, leading to everyday conflicts that everyone wants to avoid.

However, the silver lining I see is in how the Indian families are tackling this situation. I see parents and children, and even siblings buying or renting apartments in the same building or in close vicinity. This gives them the advantage of being with each other in joy and sorrow, celebrating the festivals together. At the same time, you are independent enough to live your life the way you want. The frequency of meeting each other may depend on your mutual relationship but you live with the assurance that you are within an arm's reach of each other. Children are the biggest gainers, with cousins and grandparents there to pamper them.

Has the real estate industry noticed this trend and started pitching group buying options to families? I am not sure. I assume they would soon. I also see families returning to one hub to be close to each other. So, a south Indian family may have a hub in Bengaluru or Chennai, and a north Indian one in Delhi or Jaipur. It makes sense to build a community living within the families.

Many real estate companies offer community-based living for retirement homes, where they promise that food will be as per the generic requirement of the community. They do not advertise it much, probably due to a fear of backlash. Can this be a return of community-based living, where you live with your extended family or people from same community? Probably.

Indian families have shrunk and their houses have become smaller. But lately, some families are moving to live closer again. The children are the biggest gainers, as they get more pampered

The advantages would be cultural and emotional. We all like to be surrounded by our own people, with whom we share genes in some way. There is a comfort in relationships you inherit and do not require a fresh emotional investment and trust-building gestation.

The disadvantage would be not being as much exposed to multiple cultures. However, as I said in my column on diabetes, a lot of our lifestyle excesses are coming from the fact that we are in a constant festival and celebration mode by trying to be a part of everyone's festivities. It derails all our dietary regimes.

With the return of family or community-based real estate, as and when it takes a U-turn from its copy-paste approach, I also foresee a return of local produce. It could be in terms of local vegetable gardens or gaushalas. It may sound laughable in the era of fast deliveries and industrialised products, but health consciousness is bound to bring this back in our life sooner or later. Remember, it took just a few years for millets to be back on our plates.

As it looks to me, the great Indian joint family is slowly, and maybe steadily, making a comeback in a new avatar. They may not live together in one big haveli or share the same kitchen, but may own a bunch of houses next to each other. An option to work from home in the knowledge economy is also going to push in this direction. It would have happened slowly and organically, but the pandemic gave it a two-way push. One, it made us want to live with the family; two, it made work from home highly acceptable. We saw during the pandemic many knowledge workers moving back to their native places, leaving big cities. If they could work for 2-3 years from home, at least a percentage of them can continue to do it for most of their professional lives.

We also see family entrepreneurship coming back in a small way. People are co-founding companies with family members. It's an interesting time to see the great Indian joint family coming a full circle.

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There is no reason why they should be looking up to government or anybody for a post-retirement benefit. You see, that is the most dangerous part of this system... You find judges working very well till they reach the top. When they near the retirement age, you find a lot of them suddenly turning a new cover, which is not really a nice cover.

Kamini Jaiswal, senior advocate and member of the Committee on Judicial Accountability, on judges bagging lucrative jobs post retirement

You cannot have a one-state solution as long as Zionism is the most important hegemonic ideology in Palestine. You have no chance for any solution.

Ilan Pappé, Israeli historian, on the disintegration of the Zionist project

If November becomes a referendum on whether Trump faces justice, then Democrats will absolutely flip the House, keep the White House and expand the Senate.

Ted Lieu, US Congressman and a Democrat, on delays in Donald Trump's court cases

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Multiple methods

Ref: *Let us not be poor in how we measure poverty* (Mar 2). The use of multiple methods in poverty calculation is paramount for India's welfare schemes, poverty reduction efforts and sustainable development goals. This approach facilitates targeted interventions that cater to the varied needs of different demographics, ensuring inclusivity and equitable distribution. Multiple methods also enhance transparency and monitoring.

Jacob J Puthenveettil, Thiruvananthapuram

Agricultural setback

Ref: *Karnataka farm distress requires urgent relief* (Mar 2). The latest drought, with a staggering 73 percent rainfall deficit, has exacerbated the plight of the state's farmers. Relief must be provided quickly to prevent farmers from suffering even more from the drought.

Vidisha G Parekh, email

Bomb scare

Ref: *Bomb blast in popular eatery leaves 10 injured* (Mar 2). Ensuring security in well-known eateries like Rameshwaram Cafe is vital, especially after the recent incident that has instilled fear in patrons. Keeping scanning devices near entrances is essential to reassure visitors of a secure environment, thereby encouraging them to enjoy their dining experience without concerns for their well-being.

Parvathi Praveen, email

Positive sign

BJP leaders calling Rahul Gandhi incompetent shows their insecurity and weakness, as Gandhi always questions their failures and promises made at elections. Even before the assembly elections in Telangana, many leaders of the then state ruling party criticised Revanth Reddy, including for his height; but he is the chief minister now. So a strong leader like Gandhi always takes criticism as a sign of popularity among the people, which makes his opponents nervous.

T Kailash Ditya, Hyderabad

Innovative effort

Bangalore University's partnership with a US organisation to explore wastewater usage amid the water scarcity is a proactive move. This tie-up signals a commitment to finding innovative solutions for sustainable water management. Let's amplify the efforts for a resilient future for our city.

Samrudhi Ramesh, Bengaluru

New leadership

Desertion by Congressmen in some states show the weakness of party leadership. The party is seen continuously suffering from a leadership handicap. It is high time that serious Congressmen who are interested in the revival of their party shun this one family domination and try to find a strong, constructive-minded person to lead them.

V S Ganeshan, email

Check cybercrime

Cybercrime has increased a lot in Kerala. In 2016, only 283 cases were reported; but after 5 years, it increased to 426. The last data released is for the first eight months of 2023, during which 960 cases were reported. The government should take this menace with more seriousness.

Abid T P, Malappuram

Weight worries

The report on an alarming rise in obese and underweight people around the world was an eye-opener. While intake of fast food and lack of exercise are the main causes of obesity, the lack of affordable, nutritious food has led to the rise in the number of underweight people. Such 'weighty' problems need serious attention from organisations such as WHO.

P P Sahadevan, Nileshwar

Honour Ashwin

Dharamshala will soon witness R Ashwin playing his 100th Test despite being repeatedly dropped from the playing XI on lame excuses. In the last Test, when Ashwin was handed the new ball in the second innings, he almost ran through the opposition top order. Yet we don't celebrate him enough.

Nikhil Akhilesh Krishnan, Chennai

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POSTS OF THE DAY

Narendra Modi @narendramodi
BJP is the party working for the development of jute sector, and its benefits are reaching our farmer brothers and sisters and industry.

Rahul Gandhi @RahulGandhi
Congress gave impetus to development by empowering the poor, whereas Narendra Modi is hollowing out the country for the benefit of a few friends.

Sitaram Yechury @SitaramYechury
Public money for Modi self-promotion! While people's livelihood in question, ₹15 crore go into bags with Modi's face for food distribution.

PM Narendra Modi and Bihar CM Nitish Kumar at a public gathering in Bihar's Aurangabad on Saturday | PTI

Will remain in NDA forever, says CM

Bihar Chief Minister Nitish Kumar, who shared the dais with Prime Minister Narendra Modi after 18 months, assured him that he would not quit NDA anymore. "You (Modi) had come earlier as well, 'Par idhar hum gayab ho gaye the. Hum phir aapke saath hain. Hum ab kahin jane wale nahin hain. Permanently aa gaye hain (We disappeared from here. We are with you again. We won't go anywhere. We have come permanently)," Nitish told the gathering in the presence of Modi on Saturday.

■ Bengal govt did not give NOCs to AIIMS on time, says PM ■ RJD looted rly resources, says Modi

TMC has turned schemes into scam, says Modi

PRANAB MONDAL @ Kolkata

ADDRESSING a rally in Nadia's Krishnanagar for the second consecutive day on Saturday, Prime Minister Narenda Modi changed his line of attack from the Sandeshkhali uproar allegedly triggered by Trinamool Congress' atrocities to the ruling party's corruption issue in Bengal. "The TMC has turned all the schemes for the poor into scams in Bengal," he said.

Taking a jibe at Ma Mati Manush coined by Bengal CM Mamata Banerjee in 2009 to derail the Left Front's 34-year-regime, Modi said that the Trinamool Congress (TMC) is actually Noe Tu Main Corruption.

Accusing the Bengal's ruling party of fostering an environment where "crime and corruption have thrived", Modi asserted that the TMC has become synonymous with "atrocities" and "betrayal".

"For TMC, priority is not the development of Bengal, but corruption, nepotism and betrayal. TMC wants to keep the people of Bengal poor so that it can continue the game of politics," Modi said.

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>
> Narendra Modi, PM

He lambasted the TMC hours after meeting Mamata at Raj Bhaban on Friday, which the Bengal CM had described as a protocol meet.

Referring to the AIIMS in Kalyani, Modi accused the Mamata government of creating obstructions. "When we wanted to set up the first healthcare facility in Bengal, there was non-cooperation from the state government. It delayed giving the required permissions. The TMC-led government obstructed many schemes for the poor. It does not work for the betterment of underprivileged people. The TMC has turned all the schemes into scams," he said.

Though the LS constituency, located along India-Bangladesh border, has a sizable number of migrant voters, Modi did not talk about implementation of the Citizenship Amendment Act, a promise that had attracted Matuas, a Hindu religious sect comprising refugees from Bangladesh, in favour of the saffron camp in the 2019 general elections.

With Nitish in tow, PM slams dynasty politics

RAMASHANKAR @ Patna

PRIME Minister Narendra Modi on Saturday launched a frontal attack on the Congress-RJD combine in Bihar, accusing it of using Dalits and other deprived sections of society as a "shield to justify dynastic politics and corruption".

Addressing two separate rallies in Bihar's Begusarai and Aurangabad districts, Modi made a veiled attack on the alleged land-for-job scam involving Rashtriya Janata Dal (RJD) chief and former railway minister Lalu Prasad and his family.

Prasad was railway minister during the UPA government-I.

He said the whole of Bihar knew how resources were looted in the name of Railways in the last 10 years before NDA came to power in 2014. "Today, the modernisation of railways is being discussed all over the world. Railways is being electrified rapidly and railway platforms were being decked up like airports," he remarked.

He alleged that Congress-RJD combine was guilty of "betrayal of social justice" and that dynastic politics was harmful for the talent and welfare of youths.

"True social justice is achieved by 'santustikaran' and not by 'tushtikaran', it is achieved by saturation," the PM said, adding that he only recognises social justice in such forms.

> **The land of Sita**
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> Modi said that Ram Lalla's consecration was in Ayodhya, but it was celebrated the most in Bihar, the land of Sita. People of the state sent gifts to express their joy, he said.

Modi said that Bihar has suffered the sting of nepotism and the losses caused by it for long. Family dynasties and social justice are diametrically opposed to each other, he observed.

He took a jibe at top leaders of Opposition parties, stating that 'dynasts' were afraid to participate in the upcoming Lok Sabha polls and were instead taking the Rajya Sabha route to enter Parliament. Modi did not take names, but his remark came in the backdrop of former Congress president Sonia Gandhi opting for Rajya Sabha and getting elected from Rajasthan unopposed after announcing that she would not contest Lok Sabha polls from Amethi due to health issues.

ASTRONAUT-DESIGNATES

THE FOUR FORCES ON THE ANTRIKSH YATRI PANKH

BALA CHAUHAN

ON February 27, Prime Minister Narendra Modi revealed names of the four astronaut-designates — all Indian Air Force fighter pilots — currently undergoing rigorous training for India's first-ever human space flight mission Gaganyaan, which will reach an altitude of 400 km above earth for a three-day duration in 2025. The astronauts will return with a planned water landing off India's coast.

Addressing the audience at the Vikram Sarabhai Space Centre at Thumba, Modi introduced to the country Group Captains Prasanth Balakrishnan Nair (47), Angad Pratap (41), Ajit Krishnan (41), and Wing Commander Shubhanshu Shukla (38). He bestowed upon them the prestigious 'Antriksh Yatri Pankh' (Astronaut Wings). Modi hailed them as "four shaktis (forces)" who would carry the aspirations of India's 1.4 billion people into space.

The announcement resonated India's first manned space journey 40 years ago. Former IAF pilot, (then Squadron Leader) Rakesh Sharma, who was part of the Soviet Union's Soyuz T-11 expedition launched on April 2, 1984, travelled to space as part of its Intercosmos programme. The four astronaut-designates were trained at the Yuri Gagarin Cosmonaut Training Center in Star City, 30 km north of Moscow, where Sharma underwent training four decades ago.

They were made to undergo survival training in harsh terrain — snow, deserts, water — and in inhospitable weather conditions to ensure they can survive an emergency landing in hostile terrains.

After the 13-month long intensive training, which included a series of gruelling physical, medical and psychological tests, the four astronaut-designates will proceed to NASA's Johnson Space Centre in Texas, ISRO chairman, S Somanath had said earlier.

The selection of the four was an extremely stringent and confidential process on the basis of their annual confidential records, flying proficiency, medical, physical and psychological fitness and resilience. The four were selected at the IAF's Institute of Aerospace Medicine, Bengaluru.

Training in ground support, orbital mechanisms, weightlessness, simulators, life support systems and use of toilets are part of the regimen of the four airmen.

Yoga is an important component of physical and mental training. The body is expected to handle the rigours of space travel. Training in weightlessness is critical because astronauts have to handle high G-forces experienced during spaceflight — one of the main reasons why fighter pilots are preferred for space travel as they often handle high G Force scenarios.

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The Indian Institute of Science, Bengaluru, announced that the four are pursuing Master of Technology at the institute and undergoing training at the Indian Space Research Organisation. The prerequisites for Gaganyaan mission include development of many critical technologies including human-rated launch vehicle for carrying crew safely to space, life support system to provide an earth-like environment to crew in space, crew emergency escape provision and evolving crew management aspects for training, recovery and rehabilitation of crew.

The four are alumni of the prestigious National Defence Academy. Group Captain Nair is from Kerala. He is a recipient of the 'Sword of Honour' — an honour given to the best all-round cadet — at the Air Force Academy. He was commissioned in the IAF fighter stream in December 1998. Nair is a Cat A flying instructor and a test pilot with approximately 3,000 hours of flying experience. He has flown a variety of aircraft, including Su-30 MKI, MiG-21, MiG-29, Hawk, Dornier and An-32. He is also an alumnus of the United States Staff College and a DS at DSSC, Wellington and FIS, Tambaram. He has commanded a premier fighter Su-30 Squadron.

After the PM announced his name, noted Malayalam actor Lena disclosed that she was married to Nair on January 17. She called him a warrior.

Group Captain Krishnan is from Chennai. A recipient of the President's Gold Medal and the 'Sword of Honour', he was commissioned in June 2003. A flying instructor and a test pilot with nearly 2,900 hours of flying, he has handled Su-30 MKI, MiG-21, MiG-21, Mig-29, Jaguar, Dornier and An-32. Krishnan is also an alumnus of DSSC, Wellington.

Group Captain Pratap from Prayagraj was commissioned in December 2004. He is a flying instructor and a test pilot with 2,000 hours of experience, and has flown Su-30 MKI, MiG-21, MiG-29, Jaguar, Hawk, Dornier and An-32, among other aircraft.

Wing Commander Shukla from Lucknow was commissioned in June 2006. A fighter combat leader and a test pilot with nearly 2,000 hours of flying experience, he can handle Su-30 MKI, MiG-21, MiG-29, Jaguar, Hawk, Dornier and An-32, among other aircraft.

The four astronaut-designates carry the aspirations of India's 1.4 billion people.

Customs stops ship with load for Pak N-programme

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

SECURITY agencies at Mumbai's Nhava Sheva port intercepted and confiscated a consignment destined for Karachi from China, citing dual-use implications for Pakistan's nuclear and ballistic missile programmes, officials said on Saturday.

Acting on intelligence, customs officials halted the Malta-flagged merchant ship, CMA CGM Attila, bound for Karachi on January 23. Upon inspection, they discovered a Computer Numerical Control (CNC) machine, manufactured by an Italian company known for its precision and efficiency, controlled by a computer system.

A container onboard the Karachi-bound ship from China intercepted by security agencies at Mumbai's Nhava Sheva port | PTI

A team from the Defence Research and Development Organisation confirmed the potential usage of the consignment in Pakistan's nuclear endeavours, particularly in manufacturing crucial components for missile development.

CNC machines are regulated under the Wassenaar Arrangement, an international arms control regime aimed at curbing the spread of items with dual civilian and military applications, in which India is an active participant. North Korea has employed similar machines in its nuclear programme.

Further investigation unveiled discrepancies in the shipping details, suggesting possible evasion tactics to conceal the true recipients. This incident echoes past seizures of dual-use military-grade items transhipped from China to Pakistan, sparking concerns over illicit procurement.

The ongoing probe seeks to determine if the suspected entities receiving these items are linked to the Defence Science and Technology Organisation, responsible for Pakistan's defence research and development.

Despite documentation indicating Shanghai JXE Global Logistics as the consigner and Pakistan Wings of Sialkot as the consignee, investigation revealed that the consignment, weighing 22,180 kg, was shipped by Taiyuan Mining Import and Export and is intended for Cosmos Engineering in Pakistan.

Indian port officials have seized dual-use military-grade items shipped from China to Pakistan earlier as well.

Cosmos Engineering, a Pakistani defence supplier, has been under scrutiny since March 2022, when Italian-made thermoelectric instruments were intercepted at Nhava Sheva port.

Bilkis Bano convict moves SC against order on cancelling remission

SUCHITRA KALYAN MOHANTY @ New Delhi

RADHESHYAM Bhagwandas Shah, one of the convicts in the Bilkis Bano gangrape case, has moved the Supreme Court claiming that the January 8 verdict of cancelling his remission and the re-imprisonment of all eleven convicts was judicially improper, a copy of the petition accessed by this newspaper revealed.

Shah's plea said that since the two-judge bench led by Justices BV Nagarathna and Ujjal Bhuyan disagreed with another two-judge bench (led by Justice Rastogi), the matter ought to have been referred to a larger bench.

The convict had filed the plea through his lawyer Rishi Malhotra and stated that it was incorrect for the two-judge bench to overrule a judgment rendered by another bench, namely Justices Ajay Rastogi and Vikram Nath.

Malhotra said that he had urged the apex court to reconsider the convict's plea for premature release. He has also sought bail for Shah until the court can clarify and order as to which of the two-judge bench judgments would prevail.

"The January 8 judgment pronounced by Justices Nagarathna and Bhuyan was not only judicial impropriety but creates uncertainty and chaos as to which precedence of law has to be applied in future," Shah's petition read.

In its verdict on January 8, the apex court quashed the Gujarat government's order granting remission to 11 convicts, sentenced to life term for the gangrape of Bilkis Bano during the 2002 Gujarat communal riots and directed all the 11 convicts to surrender by January 21.

Excoriating the Gujarat government, the apex court said it "usurped" the power of the Maharashtra government to grant remission to the convicts.

Shah further said that Justice Nagarathna, while terming the May 2022 verdict obtained by (him) a "fraud" played on the court, sought a declaration that this should be a nullity and non est in law.

The Gujarat government had granted remission to all the convicts on August 15, 2022, following the top court's May 2022 judgment that an application of remission should be considered in line with the policy of the state where the crime was committed and not where the trial was held.

The contention

The petition filed by Radheshyam Bhagwandas Shah said that since the two-judge bench led by Justices BV Nagarathna and Ujjal Bhuyan disagreed with another two-judge bench (led by Justice Rastogi), the matter ought to have been referred to a larger bench. The plea stated that it was incorrect for the two-judge bench to overrule a judgment rendered by another bench, namely Justices Ajay Rastogi and Vikram Nath.

NIA apprehends accused in Nizamabad PFI case

MUKESH RANJAN @ New Delhi

THE National Investigation Agency (NIA) has arrested a leader of the banned Popular Front of India, who is an accused in the Nizamabad PFI case, which pertains to anti-India conspiracy by the outfit to carry out acts of terror, said a spokesperson of the agency on Saturday.

The accused, who was carrying a reward of ₹2 lakh for his arrest, was named in the charge sheet filed by the NIA in the case.

"Abdul Saleem, the state secretary for the PFI Telangana North, is the 15th accused who has been arrested in the case originally registered by the Nizamabad police in July 2022, which was later taken over by the NIA in August the same year," the spokesperson said.

A key member of the PFI's group of conspirators, Saleem has been on the run since the case came to light, the NIA official said. He added that the accused was nabbed from Mydukur in Kadappa district of Andhra Pradesh following an intelligence-led operation.

Terror planner

NIA probe has revealed that Abdul Saleem was involved in radicalisation and recruitment of Muslim youths into PFI. He was sending them to terror training camps, said an NIA official.

Hedgewar mooted 'pure independence' at 1920 Congress session, says Hosabale

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @ New Delhi

SENIOR RSS functionary Dattatreya Hosabale described the founder of the Sangh, Dr Keshav Baliram Hedgewar, as a born, uncompromising patriot, saying that Hedgewar had proposed 'vishudh swatantrata (pure independence)' in the 1920 Congress session.

"After nine years, when the resolution of 'Purna Swaraj' was passed in the Lahore session, all RSS branches enthusiastically supported it and expressed gratitude," Hosabale said on Friday at the launch of Hedgewar's biography titled 'Man of the Millennia — Dr Hedgewar' in English.

Hosabale, who is the Sarkaryavah of RSS, said Hedgewar had a holistic national thinking. Responding to critics of the Sangh, he said, "Don't try to understand the Sangh from a distance. Come closer, meet the Sangh people, and if you don't like, you are free to go back," he said, adding that many international researches are being conducted on the Sangh.

"The RSS never considered any person as its 'guru' (mentor). It made the saffron flag its guru," Hosabale said, adding that Hedgewar held that one should follow the good path and achieve success. "To understand the Sangh, one has to have the 'heart' rather than plain intellect," Hosabale said.

"Today's generation takes inspiration from Hedgewar's patriotism and national ideas," he said, adding that the citizens should shun selfishness. "India attained freedom not only for itself but for the welfare of the world. For us, 'rashtra (nation)' is 'sarvopari' (above everything else)," he asserted.

Book on RSS founder launched

The biography of RSS founder Dr Keshav Baliram Hedgewar, titled 'Man of the Millennia — Dr Hedgewar' was launched in English on Friday. The chief guest at the event was Andhra Pradesh Governor Justice (retd) S Abdul Nazeer. The governor said that the world felt inspired by the works of the organisation founded by Hedgewar.

MILK PRODUCTION

The National Dairy Development Board (NDDB) is working to increase productivity so that India can account for one-third of the global milk production by 2030, its chairman Meenesh Shah said.

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Jaipur	22	12	Patna	30	20
Amritsar	21	05	Lucknow	25	15
Chennai	31	25	Port Blair	30	26
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■ Amid looming crisis, CM assures '80% of the party is together' ■ Ajit Pawar's NCP, Shiv Sena discomfited with seat arrangements

Sukhu's worry stays as 9 more MLAs say not happy

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Rajinder Rana, MLA

HARPREET BAJWA @ Chandigarh

THE Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu-led Himachal government appeared on a shaky ground on Saturday as one of the six Congress MLAs who cross-voted in the Rajya Sabha elections and was later disqualified from the assembly claimed at least nine more MLAs were in touch with the group and that the state government "will soon be toppled."

On the other hand, the family of former CM Virbhadra Singh is still sulking. His son and state PWD Minister Vikramaditya Singh has removed the status of 'minister and Congress' from his social media accounts and has put up a new status 'Himachal ka Sewak.' This has fuelled speculation about his further drifting away from the party.

Amid the looming crisis, Sukhu has said that "80% of the Congress is together" and that some people are "upset." The party got yet another jolt with rebel Congress MLA Rajinder Rana on Saturday saying that at least nine more MLAs were in touch with his group and that no one wants to return. "We took this decision to uphold the honour of Himachal Pradesh and its people. Did the Congress not have any candidate from its state cadre who could represent Himachal in the Rajya Sabha?" he asked.

Amid the Congress' woes, Revenue

Minister Jagat Negi and Education Minister Rohit Thakur on Saturday walked out of the Cabinet meeting being chaired by Sukhu after a "heated debate" over policy decisions, sources said. Thakur, however, returned after reportedly being pacified by Deputy Chief Minister Mukesh Agnihotri, they said.

When asked about the rebel group's stance had Sonia Gandhi contested the polls instead of Abhishek Manu Singhvi, Rana said, "She has contributed a lot to the country. Had she fought from here, it would have been a different matter." He alleged that it is "not Congress' government in the state. It is the government of only Sukhu's friends."

Another rebel Congress MLA Inder Dutt Lakhanpal said, "A few people may call us traitors. But we are not. We listened to our conscience. It was our personal decision."

Ex-CM's son drifting

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Maha rift between Shinde and Fadnavis over seats

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Senior NCP leader

SUDHIR SURYAWANSHI @ New Delhi

TENSIONS are rising within BJP and its allies in Maharashtra ahead of the 2024 Lok Sabha elections. Eknath Shinde, the chief minister of Maharashtra and leader of the Shiv Sena, along with former minister Ramadas Kadam, have levelled serious allegations against the BJP. Kadam accused the BJP of aiming to eliminate all regional parties and consolidate its position as the dominant political force.

According to a reliable source, the BJP has offered only four seats to the NCP, led by Deputy Chief Minister Ajit Pawar, despite their demand for nine Lok Sabha seats. Similarly, the Shiv Sena, led by Shinde, has been offered only seven seats, despite requesting 11 Lok Sabha seats in Maharashtra.

"There is considerable discomfort between both the NCP and Shiv Sena, who are allies of the BJP in Mahayuti, regarding the seat-sharing arrangement for the Lok Sabha elections. The BJP intends to contest a significant number of seats, even those traditionally held by the NCP and Shiv Sena. They seek to secure all the winning seats while leaving less favourable ones to their allies. It appears that the BJP aims to marginalize its allies in the Lok Sabha elections, leaving them with little choice," said a senior NCP leader on condition of anonymity.

Tensions between the allies escalated when BJP Rajya Sabha MP and Union Minister Narayan Rane claimed the Ratnagiri-Sindhudurg Lok Sabha constituency in the Konkan region.

In a post on 'X', Narayan Rane stated, "The Lok Sabha elections will be announced soon. Many leaders from various parties are asserting their rights regarding the Ratnagiri-Sindhudurg Lok Sabha seat. This seat belongs to the BJP, and only we will contest it." Ramdas Kadam reacted angrily, alleging that the BJP's intention is to dominate all parties and contest all Lok Sabha seats in Maharashtra. He insisted that the Shiv Sena has a historical claim over the Ratnagiri-Sindhudurg Lok Sabha seat.

"It's our traditional seat. The BJP claims we are allies, yet they want to take the lion's share and leave nothing for their partners. This is unacceptable," Kadam declared.

Seats given to parties

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New state chief secretary declared

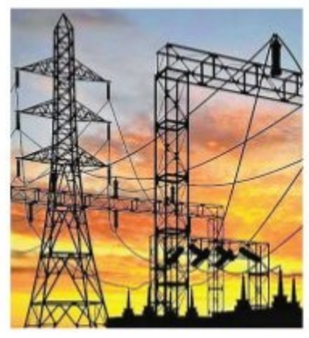
After intense lobbying for Bihar chief secretary's post, Brajesh Mehrotra, an IAS officer of 1989 batch, will be new chief secretary of Bihar. He will replace Amir Subhani who has opted for VRS. Mehrotra is currently posted as additional chief in revenue and land reforms department. Incumbent CS Amir Subhani has opted pre-retirement from his service under voluntary retirement scheme (VRS). Government has also accepted the 1987-batch IAS officer's request for VRS. Subhani was scheduled to retire from service on April 30. Like his predecessors, Subhani has not been given an extension of service by the Centre.

Govt school teacher walks in drunk to class

A school teacher walked into a government-run school in dry Bihar drunk, announced holiday and asked the students to go home. The incident happened at Upgraded Middle School in Bihar's Rohtas district. The teacher Ravi Shankar Bharti's unprecedented behaviour irked local residents, who complained against him with senior officers of district administration and demanded stern action. Police team from Nauhatta police station visited the school and arrested the teacher in inebriated condition. The district education officer has recommended his suspension.

Relief to consumers: 2% cut in power tariff

In a big relief to power consumers, Bihar electricity regulatory commission has ordered nearly 2% cut in power tariff of all sorts. The new rate will be effective from April 1, 2024. Last year, state's two power distribution companies—North Bihar Power Distribution Company Limited and South Bihar Power Distribution Company Limited—had filled separate tariff petitions before the commission and requested for a hike in tariff rates. The commission, however, turned down their recommendations of hike, ordered a cut in electricity rate of 3.03% for financial year 2024-25. But keeping in view revenue surplus, it decided to reduce tariff for all consumers.



Rahul resumes yatra from Raj, moves to MP

RAJESH ASNANI @ Jaipur

AFTER a gap of five days , Rahul Gandhi recommenced his Bharat Jodo Nyay Yatra from Rajasthan's Dholpur district on Saturday, embarking on a padyatra. Gandhi reiterated his criticism of Adani's involvement in defense contracts, highlighting perceived injustices towards farmers under the Modi government, and pledged Congress's commitment to ensuring a minimum support price (MSP) for farmers upon returning to power.

The Congress leader embarked on a two-and-a-half-kilometer procession that eventually entered Morena in Madhya Pradesh. Prominent Rajasthan Congress leaders, including former Chief Minister Ashok Gehlot, joined the event.

During the roadshow, Gandhi vehemently criticised the Modi government, alleging it of favouring Adani. He asserted that foreign companies would now manufacture arms, ammunition, bullets, drones, and airplanes, with Adani becoming their partner and selling them in India.

He stated, "Now, arms, ammunition and airplanes will be manufactured by foreign companies. Adani will partner with them and sell these products here. So, defense funds will flow to Adani. Agniveer will neither receive government facilities nor respect."

Woman biker from Spain gangraped in J'khand's Dumka

MUKESH RANJAN @ Ranchi

A Spanish woman was gangraped in Jharkhand's Dumka on Friday night. She was on a bike tour of India with her husband and going towards Nepal through India from Bangladesh.

The victim told the police that the incident took place while they were taking rest in the makeshift tent at around 11:00 pm on Friday; about seven people beat her husband, robbed them and raped her.

The victim and her husband also posted their statement on social media explaining the horrific incident which happened with them.

"Something has happened to us that we would not wish on anyone. Seven men have raped me, they have beaten us and robbed us, although, not many things, because they wanted to rape me. We are in the hospital with the police, it happened tonight here in India," the woman along with her husband posted on social media.

The post, which was later removed, also shows the injuries on the couple's bodies. According to police, the incident took place while she was sleeping in a tent at Kurumhat on Friday night. An FIR has been lodged at Hansdiha Police Station in Dumka, they said.

Dumka SP told that three people have been detained in this regard and being interrogated by the police. As per the FIR registered by at Hansdiha Police Staton, about 7 people were involved in the crime and a hunt is on to nab them.

"As of now three people have been detained and a hunt is on to nab other accused persons," said the SP Pitamber Singh Kherwar. The victim also told the police that the accused persons looted ₹10, 000 they were carrying with them, he added.

The SP informed that an SIT has been formed to investigate the case and he himself is keeping a close eye on the entire situation. Help from the CID and FSL teams is also being taken, he said. The State Assembly proceedings remained disrupted for over two hours after the opposition raised the issue in the House.

'Husband beaten'

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Centre orders status quo on power project

HARPREET BAJWA @ Chandigarh

THE Centre has asked Punjab and Himachal Pradesh governments to maintain status quo on the 110-mw Shanan power project in Mandi as the 99-year lease expired on Saturday.

In its order issued on Friday, the union power ministry said, "It is hereby directed that the HP government and Punjab will maintain status quo with regard to the functioning of the Shanan power house after the expiry of the lease period on March 2 till a final decision is taken by this ministry."

The project is under control of Punjab government. The Himachal government had earlier indicated that it will not extend the lease due to demands by local residents who claim that since the project uses water of Himachal, its benefits should not go to Punjab.

Last year, Himachal CM Sukhwinder Singh Sukhu had written to Punjab CM Bhagwant Mann that after March 2, a team of engineers would take charge of the project. The Punjab government filed a suit in the SC to restrain Himachal from taking over the project. The SC will hear the suit on Monday. The lease agreement was signed in 1925 between Jogendra Sen Bahadur, then ruler of Mandi, and Colonel BC Batty, then chief engineer of undivided Punjab.

CM Himanta Biswa Sarma at the Gauhati Medical College and Hospital | EXPRESS

Dedicated cancer centre in Gauhati medical college

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

ASSAM Chief Minister Himanta Biswa Sarma on Saturday dedicated a State Cancer Institute (SCI) Guwahati to the people of the state.

He inaugurated Renovated State of Art Blood Centre at Gauhati Medical College and Hospital (GMCH) besides inaugurating extended emergency department and initiating the process of DBT transfer to one lakh IHH beneficiaries for the construction of individual household toilets under Swachh Bharat Mission.

Offering facilities like OTs, BMT, Cath Lab, ICUs, HDUs, the five-storied SCI, Phase 2, will cater to 350 in-patients medical services including radiation, chemotherapy, surgery/robotic surgery, nuclear medicine, bone marrow transplant, academics and research. It is also equipped with facilities like MRI, CT, Mammography, Digital X-ray, Endoscopy, Laboratory, Blood Bank and CSSD. The total cost of the project is ₹395 crore.

Whole Human Blood I.P., Concentrated Red Blood Corpuscles I.P., Fresh Frozen Plasma, Cryoprecipitated I.P., Platelet Concentrate I.P., Platelet Aphaeresis, Platelet Aphaeresis Leucodepleted, Leucopharesis, Plasmapheresis, Leucodepleted Red Cell Concentrate, Leucodepleted Random Donor Platelet etc, are the facilities the blood centre will provide. Speaking on the occasion CM Sarma said advanced, accountable and accessible health care facilities have been a commitment and that his government focuses on bringing paradigm shift in the system.

Sai govt defeats Naxalism with proactive Puvarti Model

ARVIND KUMAR MISHRA
Public policy expert

Battle Against Naxalism Intensified: Chhattisgarh Police establishes camp in Puvarti village of Hidma

Chhattisgarh is the 9th largest state of India geographically, and it is popularly known as 'rice bowl', but identity of this state extends beyond its geography and agricultural abundance. Holding a significant 19% share in coal production and about 16% in iron ore, this state energizes the nation's economy. Despite this, Naxalism has cast shadows on the wonderful success stories of Chhattisgarh state. Two months ago, the Vishnu Deo Sai government in Chhattisgarh intensified its fight against Naxalism. In the same sequence, a security forces' camp has been established in Puvarti village of Sukma on February 16, 2024. Purvati village is referred to as the nursery of Naxals. Following the Naxal attack on the CRPF camp in Tekalgudam on January 30, resulting in three martyrs and 17 injuries, Chief Minister Vishnu Deo Sai paid homage to the soldiers in Jagdalpur. Immediately after the incident, he reviewed the campaign against Naxals.Chief Minister gave clear instructions in the review meeting of Home Department to expedite the anti-Naxal operations and make it more rigorous.

Within 15 days of the meeting with Chief Minister Shri Vishnu Deo Sai and Home Minister Shri Vijay Sharma, Chhattisgarh Police established a camp with approximately 500 personnel in Puvarti village. The camp includes personnel from CRPF Cobra, DRG, and district police on a permanent basis. The police camp in Puvarti will not only enhance law and order but also extend the reach of good governance. Surveys for development projects, such as electricity and roads, have been initiated. Preparations are underway to provide facilities such as Anganwadi-Centers and medical services.

Puvarti: Formal Focal point of Multiple Naxal Incidents

Puvarti village had become the epicenter of numerous Naxal incidents. Naxals strategized and executed two major operations from this location. Over the past few years, several major incidents in South Bastar, such as Tadmetla (2010), Burkapal (2017),Minpa (2020), and Tekalgudam (2021), originated from Puvarti. Naxal CommanderHidma's PLGA (People's Liberation Guerrilla Army) group was involved in all these incidents. Many soldiers from the police and paramilitary forces have been martyred in these incidents in South Bastar. Hidma, Deva, Surendra, and other most-wanted Naxals, including those active in neighbouring states, have connections to this village. In a way, Puvarti has become the hub of PLGA activities. Before setting up the camp in Puvarti, the police established a camp in Tekalgudam 5 km away, which will also function permanently.

The police camp in Puvarti will not only enhance law and order but also extend the reach of good governance. Surveys for development projects, such as electricity and roads, have been initiated. Preparations are underway to provide Anganwadi Centers and medical services

Emphasizing Development in Naxal-Affected Villages

Shri Vishnu Deo Sai Government is actively engaged in development initiativesalongside law enforcement measures against Naxals.The government has started the "Niyad-Nellanar" (Your Good Village) project for the development of Naxal-affected villages. Under this scheme, 25 basic facilities like education, health, and employment will be provided in villages located in Naxal-affected areas. A budget of 25 crores has been allocated for this project.

Community policing in remote Naxal areas has boosted the trust and confidence of localities in the state government and police. To meet the shortage of soldiers in the fight against Naxals, 1089 positions in the police force have been approved. Benefits like Naxal allowance and other facilities have boosted the morale of security personnel. To ensure the safety of deployed soldiers in Naxal areas, government has decided to provide them with special resistant boots. South Bastar (Sukma and Bijapur) has been a part of the strategy of Naxal-liberated zones. In this context, the police camp here is a psychological victory for Chhattisgarh Police against Naxalism.

In Ujjain, CM inaugurates PM Shri Air Ambulance

ANURAAG SINGH @ Bhopal

THE second and concluding day of Regional Industry Conclave in Ujjain was marked by the initiation of air ambulance service in the state.

Inaugurating the service, which was initially named Mukhya Mantri Air Ambulance, MP CM Dr Mohan Yadav said on Saturday that the service would be renamed as PM Shri Air Ambulance.

"The service will prove to be a boon for the poor class, under which one heli-ambulance and one fixed wing converted flying ICU aircraft will be deployed to serve the citizens of all the districts and administrative divisions of the state. Both will have a team of highly trained doctors and paramedics. The doctors and paramedics will undergo special training in the Aero Medical Sciences Fellowship. All citizens of the state will benefit from this service," the CM maintained.

Meanwhile, according to the state, the two-day industry conclave turned out to be a success. Representatives from a diverse array of nations including the US, UK, Canada, Germany, Israel, Japan, Gabon, South Korea, Singapore, Zambia and Malaysia participated in the event. With approximately 4,000 delegates in attendance, the conclave proved to be a significant gathering for global industrial collaboration.

More than 20 industrial groups in the state held one-to-one meetings with the MP CM, engaging in substantive discussions on investment proposals of ₹17,000 crore. A total of 880 units have expressed their Intention-to-Invest over ₹1 lakh crore across various sectors.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to notify the General Public that my client **Mr. Santhoshkumar Kandasamy** has contracted with **Mr. Selva Kumar G** S/o. Sri. A. Gunasekaran, R/at No.6-1-C, Mariyamman Temple, Palaiya Vathalakundu, Batlagundu, Dindigul, Nilakkottai, Tamilnadu-624202 for purchase of the property described in the schedule herebelow, on his representation that he is the absolute owner of the same.

Any person/s having any claim, right, title or interest of whatsoever manner with regard to the Schedule Property or anybody opposing the sale transaction may lodge such claim or objection, in writing with documentary proof to the undersigned **within 7 days** from the date of this Notice, failing which my clients would proceed to complete the sale transaction, presuming that there are no valid claims or objections.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the **Site No.32,** in Property No.30, Katha No.2657, situated at **Chikkanagamangala Village**, Shanthipura Village, Panchayath, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, measuring East to West : **50 feet** and North to South : **24 feet,** in all measuring **1200 Square feet** and bounded on the; **East by** :Property belongs to Venkatesh Hegde; **West by** : 25 feet Road; **North by :** Site No.33; **South by :** Site No.31A (Old No.31) belongs to Manjula K.

NARASIMHAMURTHY A.S, Advocate,
No.56/A, 3rd Cross, 24th Main, J. P. Nagar 2nd Phase, Bangalore-78, Ph: 9886434287

PUBLIC NOTICE

It is hereby notified to the general public that Mr. Tippu Talha, S/o. Mr. Haji Tippu Mustafa is the absolute owner in possession and enjoyment of the schedule property and Gift Deed dated 09-03-2016, executed by Mr. Tippu Anees is missing and till now it has not been traced, inspite of due efforts, hence our client call upon the finder to return the same to them. Gift Deed dated 09-03-2016, registered as Document No.18109/2015-16 of Book-I and stored in CD No.BNSD414, in the Office of the Sub-Registrar, Banaswadi, Bengaluru.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of First Floor portion of immovable property bearing No.3, PID No.78-26-3, situated at "B" No.23rd Street, BBMP Ward No.78, Bangalore, measuring on East 51 Feet, on West 1 Feet & 2 Feet & 48 Feet, on North 48 Feet 6 Inches and on South 11 Feet & 12 Feet 9 Inches & 19 Feet 9 Inches, and bounded on the : EAST BY: Property No.29 & Private Property, WEST BY: B No.23rd Street, NORTH BY: Private Property, and SOUTH BY: Private Property.

Sd/-
MOHAMMED MUJTABA ADIL
Syed Khasim & Associates
Advocates
No.1, 4th Cross, Shivaji Road, Shivajinagar, BANGALORE-560 051

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to bring to the notice of the general public that our client, Sri. Kuthethur Gururajachar Charities, Represented by its Managing Trustee, Sri. S. Venkatesh Mady, having registered office at No.29, (Old No. 7), Crescent Road, High Grounds, Bangalore - 560 001, has lost the original Relinquishment Deed dated 08-08-2014 registered in the office of Sub-registrar Gandhinagar, vide Book - I, and registered as Document No. GAN-1-01894/2014-15 and stored in CD No. GAND200 and registered on 12-08-2014 executed by them in favour of The Commissioner BBMP. This Notice is hereby given to the Public that the Relinquishment Deed dated 08-08-2014, executed in respect of the property bearing BBMP Katha No. 29, PID No. 77-107-29, situated at Crescent Road (Harekrishna Road), Bangalore - 560 001, has been lost in transit or misplaced and not traceable yet. The report of the same has been lodged at the concerned Police Station on 29-02-2024 Vide Report No. 0953909/2024. All persons are hereby informed not to deal or carry out any transaction with anyone on the basis of the said missing document. If anyone has found the said document the same may be returned to the aforesaid Trust.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing BBMP Khatha No. 29, PID No. 77-107-29, situated at Crescent Road, High Grounds, Bangalore - 560 001 and bounded on : East by : Hare Krishna Road, West by : Private Property, North by : Karnataka Film Chambers, South by : Crescent Road.

Sri. M N UMESH & S.D.N PRASAD, Advocates
No. 24/1, 2nd Floor, Opp. to BCWC, 1st Cross, C.S.I. Compound, Mission Road, Bangalore-560 027. Cell : 94485 60973

IN THE COURT OF THE CIVIL JUDGE AND JMFC KODAGU AT MADIKERI

O.S. No. **15/2024**

Plaintiff: Ballaranda Subramani
Vs
Defendant: Ravi Manchanda

Court summons under Order V Rule 20 of the Code of Civil procedure.

To,
Ravi Manchanda,
Son of S.D. Manchanda,
Aged 60 Years,
Residing at 1745, Ground Floor, Multani Mohalla, Shakur Basti, North-West Delhi, Delhi-110034

Whereas the plaintiff has filed a suit For the cancellation of the registered agreement of sale dated 28/03/2016 before the Hon'ble Civil Judge and JMFC Kodagu at Madikeri where in you are arrayed as defendant as mentioned above and the aforesaid Hon'ble Court hereby notified that, you shall appear before the Hon'ble Court on 21/3/2024 at 11.00 AM by yourself or through your advocate without fail. If you fail to appear on the above said date the Hon'ble Court will necessary orders in your absence.

(By order of the Court)
Chief Ministerial Officer, Civil Judge and JMFC Kodagu at, Madikeri.
Sd/- **Jalendra C K**
Advocate for Plaintiff
Madikeri
Date: 16/02/2024

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby informed that My Client **Mr. Ravichandran K S S/o. Sri. Shivananda Rao K, R/a. No. 60/A, 6th Cross, 1st Main, Behind RV Kalyana Mantapa, Maruthinagar, Yelahanka Old Town, Bengaluru-560064** intends to Purchase and Mortgage the Schedule Property more particularly described in the Schedule hereunder and referred as Schedule Property from the Present Owners **Sri. S. Channaiah S/o. Sri. Subrahmanyam and Smt. C. Usha W/o. Sri. S. Channaiah** who are represented as absolute Owners of the Schedule Property to my Client.

Notice is hereby given to the General Public tat if any persons, entity, company, firm, institution has or claims any right, title, interest, pending Litigation, tenancy, mortgage, charge, lien or demand or any other interest of whatsoever nature in or upon the Schedule Property or any part thereof, the same may be brought to the notice of the undersigned in writing together with all details and documents in support of such claim **within 15 (Seven) days** from the date of this Notice, failing which it shall be deemed that the aforesaid owners has a clear and marketable title to the schedule Property and that none else has any right, title, interest or claim whatsoever in respect of the Schedule Property and my client would be at liberty to proceed to purchase the schedule Property. Any Claims received after the expiry of the period mentioned above shall neither be entertained nor be binding on my client.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY:

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Site No.130, Katha No.104, presently coming under the jurisdiction of BBMP, situated at Agrahara Village, Yalahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, measuring East to west 30 feet and North to West (40+10)/2 feet in all measuring 750 Sq. feet and bounded on: East by: Property No.131, West by: Road, North by: Property No.129, South by: Others Property.

Mohan Ram B R, Advocate
#47/1, 1st Floor, Austin Plaza, Austin Town, Bengaluru-560079. Contact No. 8722671564
Place : Bengaluru Date : 02-03-2024

KERALA HEALTH RESEARCH & WELFARE SOCIETY

(An Institution fully owned by the Government of Kerala)
Registered Office: General Hospital Campus, Red Cross Road, Thiruvananthapuram - 695 035, Ph : 0471 - 2300377

No. A3/4646/2023/KHRWS Dated : 29.2.2024

e-TENDER NOTICE

Tenders are invited from renowned and experienced distributor manufacturers to supply Fully Automated Ethylene oxide Sterilizer. Tender details are available from KHRWS Head Office and from the websites www.khrws.kerala.gov.in and www. Etenders.kerala.gov.in.

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA, "e"-PROCUREMENT NOTICE

WORKS DEPARTMENT

E-mail: ceroads.bbsr@gmail.com

B-1870 RFP Identification No. CE-DPI & R- 06/2023-24

1. The Chief Engineer, D.P.I. & Roads, Odisha (Authority) on behalf of the Works Department, Govt. of Odisha is engaged in the Development of State Roads and Highways in Odisha, and, as part of this endeavour, Govt. of Odisha has decided to undertake the following **"Projects"** under **EPC Contract** (Engineering, Procurement and Construction) basis, and has decided to carry out the bid process for selection of the parties/Joint Ventures to whom the Project may be awarded eventually.

2.	Nature of project	:	Road work
3.	No. of project	:	1 No.
4.	Tender Paper cost	:	Rs.10,000.00
5.	Class of Contractor	:	Super Class
6.	Available of bid document in the website	:	From 10.00 A.M. of 12.03.2024 to 5.30 P.M. of 27.03.2024
7.	Date of Pre-Application conference	:	18.03.2024 at 12.30 P.M.
8.	Date of opening of Bid	:	Dt.28.03.2024 at 11.30 A.M.

9. The Bidders have to participate in ONLINE bidding only. Further details can be seen from the website: **https://tenderodisha.gov.in** . Any addendum / corrigendum / cancellation of tender can also be seen in the said website.

Sd/-
Chief Engineer (DPI & Roads), Odisha (I/C)
OIPR-34117/11/0130/2324

THE KARUR VYSYA BANK LTD

ASSET RECOVERY BRANCH
Divisional Office Building, No.6, Shri Vasavi Temple Road, Near Sajjan Rao Circle, V V Puram, Bangalore - 560004

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 9(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, **The Karur Vysya Bank Ltd,** the constructive/physical (whichever is applicable) possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **The Karur Vysya Bank Ltd., Secured Creditor, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** on **21.03.2024** for recovery of **Rs. 41,24,962.28 /- (Rupees Fourty One Lakhs Twenty Four Thousand Nine Hundred Sixty Two and Paise Twenty Eight only)** due to **"The Karur Vysya Bank Ltd"**, Secured Creditor from **(1) Mrs. Priyanka P** D/o Mr. Palani Ramalingam, No L 30, 8th Cross,2nd Floor, Near Lakshmi Timber, Lakshminarayanapuram, Bangalore-560021 **Also at :** No U-31, 6th Cross, Dayananda Nagar, Bangalore-560021 **(2) Mrs. Saraswathi (Guarantor)** W/o Mr. Palani Ramalingam, No L 30, 8th Cross, 2nd Floor, Near Lakshmi Timber, Lakshminarayanapuram, Bangalore-560021. **The reserve price will be Rs. 36,00,000/-(Rupees Thirty Six Lakhs Only) and the earnest money deposit will be Rs. 3,60,000/- (Rupees Three Lakhs and Sixty Thousand Only).**

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the of the Residential Apartment No .T 9, Third Floor "BALAJI ELITE" E-Katha No 150200103200821603, Hennagara Village, Panchayath Katha/Property No 455/81, Situated at Kachanayakanahalli Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Dist Measuring 1010 Sqft super built up Area & 345 Sqft UDS, Converted land bearing Survey no 81 (vide Conversion Order No ALN (A J) SR/106/2012.-13 Dated 19.06.2013, now under the limits of Hennagara Village Panchayath having and Bounded as follows : East by: Road, West by: T-10, North by: T-7, South by: T-11.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in our Bank's/ Secured Creditor's website i.e **www.kvb.co.in/Property** Under Auction also at the web portal **BankAuctions.in/ForeclosureIndia.com** of the service provider, **M/s. 4 closure.**

Statutory 15 Days' Notice under Rule 9(1) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002

The borrower/s and guarantor/s are hereby notified to pay the dues as mentioned above along with up to date interest and ancillary expenses before the date of e-Auction, failing which the Schedule property will be auctioned/sold and balance dues, if any, will be recovered with interest and cost.

Date : 02.03.2024 Sd/- Authorized Officer
Place: Bangalore THE KARUR VYSYA BANK LIMITED

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank

(A Government Of India Undertaking)
BANGALORE VYALIKAVAL BRANCH
No.3, 2nd Main Road, Bangalore-560003
E-mail: cb0417@canarabank.com

DEMAND NOTICE [SECTION 13(2)]
TO BORROWER/ GUARANTOR/MORTGAGOR

NOTICE ISSUED UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002

We, **of Canara Bank, Bangalore Vyalikaval Branch** had issued Demand Notices under Section 13(2) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Security Interest Act 2002 by Registered Post with Acknowledgment Due (RPAD) to the addresses furnished to the Bank as mentioned below. Since the notice has not been acknowledgement returned due to non-availability of addresses at the said addresses / due to evading of service of the notices sent by RPAD, notice could not be served. Further, Bank had served the said demand notices by affixture at the addresses given. The contents of the said notices are mentioned herein below.

1. Name and Address of the Borrowers / Co-Borrowers/ Mortgagors / Guarantors : (1) M/s Plasto cards Private Limited Company, Directors 1. Mr. Rupak T K S/o Krishnappa, J 108, 10th Cross, Lakshminarayan Puram, Srirampuram, Bengaluru-560021. **2. Mrs. Vanishree C S W/o Rupak T K ,** J 108, 10th Cross, Lakshminarayan Puram, Srirampuram, Bengaluru-560021.

[Details of the credit facility/ies availed by M/s Plasto cards Private Limited Company]

Loan Type	Loan Account No.	Sanctioned amount	Date of Sanction	Liability with interest as on 23.02.2024	Rae of Interest
OD	0417261 000990	Rs. 55,00,000/-	28.08.2023	Rs. 55,77,542.60 + INT W.E.F. 01.02.2024	10.30 + 2% Penal Int
TL	0417746 000001	Rs. 98,50,000/-	24.03.2021	Rs. 49,91,785.74 + INT W.E.F. 25.01.2024	12.45 + 2% Penal Int
GECL	0417755 000041	Rs. 27,70,000/-	31.07.2020	Rs. 8,01,070.94 + INT W.E.F. 01.02.2024	9.25 + 2% Penal Int
GECL	170002 311351	Rs. 20,00,000/-	23.11.2021	Rs. 15,37,674.49 + INT W.E.F. 24.01.2024	9.25 + 2% Penal Int

Total Liability Amount: Rs.1,29,08,073.77 (Rupees One Crore Twenty Nine Lakhs Eight Thousand Seventy Three and Paise Seventy Seven Only) as on **23.02.2024** together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

NPA Date : 22.02.2024 Demand Notice Dated : 23.02.2024

Details of security assets :

Immovable Property Details : Name of Title Holder : Rupak T K and Vanisree C S

Schedule-B : All that piece and parcel of residential house property formed in survey No.252, Site No.15 of Kethamaranahalli Village, property bearing (Corporation) Municipal new No.7, Old No.70/1/7, Ward No.24, PID No.24-47-7, New PID No.0797-W-0020-5 situated at Srirampuram, Lakshminarayanapuram, 10th Cross, Bangalore Previously known as Kethamaranahalli and bounded on Property Measurements: East to West : 40 feet, North to South : 60 feet, Total Area : 2400 sft. East by : Property No.6 belong to Gangadhar, West by : Property of Sri Hemanna, North by : Road. South by : Conservancy.

You are here by called upon to pay **Canara Bank**, within a period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, the respective amount mentioned here above, failing which **Canara Bank** will take necessary action under the provisions of the said Act, against the secured assets including taking possession of the secured assets of the Borrowers and the Guarantors. The powers available to **Canara Bank** under the Act include (i) power to take possession of the secured assets of the Borrowers / Guarantors / Mortgagors including the rights to transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale for realising secured assets and any transfer of secured assets by **Canara Bank** shall vest in the transferee rights in or in relation to, the secured asset transferred as if the transfer has been made by you. In terms of the provisions of section 13(13) of the said Act, you are hereby prohibited from transferring, either by way of sale, lease or otherwise (other than in the ordinary course of your business), any of the secured assets as referred to in the Demand Notice affixed and also Hypothecated / Mortgaged to the bank without prior written consent of the Bank. The notice is issued in terms of Section (13)2 of the said Act.

Date : 01.03.2024 Sd/- Authorised Officer
Place : Bengaluru Canara Bank

HUBLI ELECTRICITY SUPPLY COMPANY LTD

(Wholly owned Govt. of Karnataka undertaking)
Superintending Engineer (Ele.)
O and M Circle, Shivaganga Layout, HESCOM, Hubballi-23
Tel: 0836 2364144, Fax: 0836 2366184 E-mail ID: seehbl.hescom@gmail.com

Corporate Identity Number (CIN) : U31401KA2002SGC030437

No: HESCOM/SEE/EEE(O)/AEE-1/F-48/2023-24/7471-73 Dtd 01/03/2024

NOTIFICATION FOR INVITATION SHORT TERM TENDER
(Through KPPP portal only)

Superintending Engineer(Ele), O and M Circle, HESCOM, Hubballi has invited Tenders for Conversation of 33KV OH line to UG Cable at Govt.School Nekar nagar Hubballi, Conversation of 33KV OH line to UG Cable at 220KV SRS KPTCL premises Hubballi Providing 33KV link line to existing RWSS HT installation at Jalawadagi & Gumagol in Gadag. Replacement of RCC Pole by I-Beam pole/M+6 tower for the line feeding to 33/11KV IE S/s Hubli from110KV Tarihal S/s in Two cover system. The Indent No of works **HESCOM/2023-24/ EL/WORK_INDENT384, 385, 386 & 387.**

The detailed notification regarding the bid enquiry can be obtained by logging on to the website: **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in/** on or after 04/03/2024 for further information, please contact telephone No 0836-2364144 / 2366184 during office hours.

DIPR/DWD/886/2023-24/DESHPANDEPUBLICITY
Superintending Engineer (Ele)., O & M Circle Office, HESCOM, Hubballi.

BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE

Office of the Chief Information Officer, Information Technology Department, BBMP, Annex Building-2, Head Office Premises, N.R. Square, Bengaluru - 560 002.

No: BBMP/DCIO-IT/PR/34/2023-24 (P-1)/Call-2 Date: 02.03.2024

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION

The Deputy Chief Information Officer, BBMP IT Department, invites Proposals through the Karnataka Public Procurement Portal from eligible companies for **Procurement of 476 Printers to various BBMP Offices.**

All interested bidders shall submit their Technical and Commercial bids electronically through e-Procurement Portal (https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in)

Calendar of Events: (1) Tender Reference No: BBMP/DCIO-IT/PR/34/2023-24, Call-2 (2) Bid documents may be downloaded from KPP Portal of GOK (https://kppp.karntaka.gov.in) from **02.03.2024 onwards.** (3) Last date for seeking clarification if any: **07.03.2024 upto 15.00 hrs.** (4) Date of Pre-bid meeting: **11.03.2024 at 16.00 hrs.** (5) Last date and time for uploading of tender in KPP Portal platform: **13.03.2024 upto 17.00 hrs.** (6) Date and time of opening of Tenders (Technical bid and Technical evaluation): **15.03.2024 at 11.00 hrs.** (7) Date and time of opening of Tenders (Commercial bid) (if possible) : **17.03.2024 at 11.00 hrs.** (8) Contact person for queries: DCIO, BBMP IT Section. Telephone : 9480688000. e-mail: dcio-it@bbmp.gov.in (9) Place of Opening of tenders and address for communication: Office of the Deputy Chief Information Officer-IT, 2nd Floor, Annex-2 Building, N.R. Square, BBMP, Bengaluru - 560 002. (10) EMD Amount: **Rs. 5,00,000/-.** (Rupees Five Lakhs only)

Further details can be had from the office of the above during office hours on all working days or visit e-Procurement portal website: **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/-
Deputy Chief Information Officer, BBMP

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UNION BANK OF INDIA
ASSET RECOVERY BRANCH, BENGALURU
2/3, Raja Building, N.R Road, Bengaluru - 560002. Contact No: 8369255990
email id - ubin0555991@unionbankofindia.bank

NOTICE TO THE BORROWER INFORMING ABOUT SALE (30 DAYS NOTICE) RULE 6 (2)/8 (6) OF SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES 2002

1) Borrower/ Mortgagor: (1) Mr.Muniraju S, (2) M D Engineering, Prop: Muniraju S, No.199 Thanamma Layout, Bilekahalli, Near Fab Ice Factory, Devarachikkanahalli Main Road, Bangalore-560076. **(3) Mrs. M.Sumathi** W/o Mr.Muniraju.S, No.199 Thanamma Layout, Bilekahalli, Near Fab Ice Factory, Devarachikkanahalli Main Road, Bangalore-560076.

Sale of property belonging to **Mr.Muniraju.S** for realization of amount due to Bank under the SECURITIZATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002

Union Bank of India, Asset Recovery Branch, Bangalore South, the secured creditor, caused a demand notice dated **05.07.2023** under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002, calling upon you to pay the dues within the time stipulated therein. Since you failed to comply the said notice within the period stipulated, the Authorised Officer, has taken possession of the immovable secured assets under Section 13(4) of the Act read with Rule 8 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on **01.02.2024.**

Even after taking possession of the secured asset, you have not paid the amount due to bank. As such, it has become necessary to sell the below mentioned property by holding public e-auction after 30 days from the date of receipt of this notice through online mode. The date and time of e-auction along with the Reserve Price of the property and the details of the service provider, in which the e-auction to be conducted, shall be informed to you separately. Therefore, if you pay the amount due to the bank along with subsequent interest, costs, charges and expenses incurred by bank before the date of publication of sale notice, no further action shall be taken for sale of the property and you can redeem your property as stipulated in sec. 13(8) of the SARFAESI Act.

SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY: All the piece and parcel of the property bearing Site No:330, formed out of converted Sy No.80/1, converted from agricultural residential purpose vide conversion order No.ALN(SB)SR:95/2010-11 dated 09.11.2010 issued by the special deputy commissioner, BangaloreDistrict, present BBMP Khatha No.1450/80/1/327/337, situated at Arekere village, Begur hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore measuring East to West 30 feet and North to South 40 Feet in all measuring1200 Sqft owned by Mr.Muniraju S s/o Sri Sundappa and bounded on the East by: Site No.331, West by: Site No.229, North by: Road, South by: BDA Site Nos.448 & 447.

Date : 02.03.2024 Sd/- Authorised Officer
Place : Bangalore Union Bank of India

THE KARUR VYSYA BANK LTD

ASSET RECOVERY BRANCH
Divisional Office Building, No.6, Shri Vasavi Temple Road, Near Sajjan Rao Circle, V V Puram, Bangalore - 560004

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

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Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/ charged to the Secured Creditor, **The Karur Vysya Bank Ltd,** the constructive/ physical (whichever is applicable) possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **The Karur Vysya Bank Ltd.,** Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** on **22.03.2024** for recovery of **Rs. 96,45,072.72** (Rupees Ninety Six Lakhs Fourty Five Thousand Seventy Two and Paisa Seventy Two only) due to **"The Karur Vysya Bank Ltd"**, Secured Creditor from **(1) Shri Kiran Kumar S** S/o Shankar Narayan Deverkonda, No. 357, Matru Shree, Ground Floor, Girinagar 1st Phase, Bangalore – 560 085 Also may be at SF-201, Site No: 207/A, 2nd Floor, "Vijaya Klenn" Khata No: 438/207-A Bikasipura Village, Uttarhalli Hobli Bangalore–560006 **(2) Mr Shiva Prakash C** S/o Chandra Shekar, No.19, Damodar Mudaliar Road Ulsoor, Bangalore – 560008, **Also may be at** - Army Base Workshop, Token No.3025, CD, 515, Trinity Church Road, Halasur, Bangalore–560008, **Also may be at:** D.No: 1023, K R Puram, ITI Colony, E Phase, 5th Main, Bangalore. The reserve price of Schedule-A Property is **Rs.41,00,000/-** (Rupees Fourty One Lakhs only) and **the earnest money deposit** will be **Rs. 4,10,000/-** (Rupees Four Lakhs and Ten Thousand only).

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

Flat No: SF 201, in the building constructed in Site No: 207/A, Rajrajeshwari CMC, Khatha No. 438/207-A, "Vijaya Klenn", Bikasipura Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk (total apartment building size approximately measuring east 146 feet, west 141 feet, North 52 feet and South : 90 feet) with a super built up area of 1100 sft with undivided share of 285 sq. feet and **bounded on: East by :** Yelachenahalli Border, **West by:** 5th Main Road, **North by:** Portion of the site No: 207/A belongs to Smt Gayathri Sukomala, **South by:** Site No. 207-B and Road.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in our Bank's/ Secured Creditor's website i.e **www.kvb.co.in/Property** Under Auction also at the web portal **BankAuctions.in/ForeclosureIndia.com** of the service provider, **M/s. 4 closure.**

Statutory 30 Days' Notice under Rule 8(6) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002

The borrower/s and guarantor/s are hereby notified to pay the dues as mentioned above along with up to date interest and ancillary expenses before the date of e-Auction, failing which the Schedule property will be auctioned/sold and balance dues, if any, will be recovered with interest and cost.

Date : 02.03.2024 Sd/- Authorized Officer
Place: Bangalore THE KARUR VYSYA BANK LIMITED

THE BANGALORE CITY CO-OPERATIVE BANK LIMITED

Administrative Office: # 3, PAMPAMAHAKAVI ROAD, CHAMARAJAPET, BANGALORE - 18. Ph.: 26618572 : 26609512 : 26609608.

CORRIGENDUM

In Reference to the E-Auction Sale Notice Published on **02.03.2024** in this News Paper. In This Notification Pertaining to **Borrower: Sl.No. (1) Smt.Padma.P.V. (2) Smt. Lilly Pushpa.A (3) Smt. Padmavathi.V (4) Sri.Thulasi Ram.D.** E-auction sale notice is Timings : 10.00 AM to 11.00 AM instead of Timings : 10.00 A.M to 5.00 P M was wrongly published. So the same may be read as E-auction Timings : **10.00 A M to 11.00 A M.** All other contents remains unchanged.

Date : 02.03.2024 Sd/- Authorised Officer
Place: Bangalore The Bangalore City Co-Operative Bank Limited

NORTHERN POWER DISTRIBUTION COMPANY OF TELANGANA LIMITED

TSNPDCL
CIN No.U40109TG2000SGC034119

Tender Notice

TSNPDCL is intends to Purchase the Materials through e-Procurement platform from the Manufacturers. **Specification No.: CGM/P&MM/STN-51 to STN-90/2023-24 and OT-51 to OT-60/2023-24. Name of the Material:** Various Materials. Bid Security @2% on Ex-Works. Downloading of tenders through On-Line e-Procurement starts from **06.03.2024 at 11.00AM.** For further details visit **www.tender.telangana.gov.in** and **www.tsnpdcl.in**. For obtaining Digital Key visit **www.tsts.gov.in**

Ph.No.0870-2461507 Sd/-
Mail Id: cgmpmm@tsnpdcl.in **CHIEF GENERAL MANAGER (P&MM)**
R.O.No.:1003-PP/CL-AGENCY/ADVT/1/2023-24, Date:02.03.2024

KARNATAKA URBAN WATER SUPPLY & DRAINAGE BOARD, KALABURAGI ZONE, KALABURAGI

Office of the Chief Engineer KUWS & D Board, Kalaburagi Zone,
"Jalbhavan", Rajapur, Kusnoor Road, Kalaburagi – 585105.
Tel : 08472-220817, Fax : 08472-260818 E-mail ID : kwbceklb14@gmail.com

No. KWB/CE(K)/TEC/Tender/1551/2023-24 Date : 01-03-2024

-: NOTICE INVITING SHORT TERM TENDER – 2ND CALL :-

KWB/CE(K)/TEC/WS/Hbd_Ctg_Hkd/AMRUT2/2023-24/1546 Date : 01-03-2024

1) Pkg No.: 1, Name and description of work : Providing combined water supply scheme to Humnabad, Chitguappa and Hallikhed towns in Bidar District Under AMRUT 2.0 including O&M for a Period of 5 Years (including 1 Year Defects Liability Period) through Design, Build, Operate and Transfer (DBOT) Mode - No Variation. **(Work Indent No : KUWSDB/2023-24 / WS / WORK_INDENT123/CALL2),** Amount of Estimate: **Rs.12480.32 Lakhs (Excluding GST)**, Details of Tender application amount and EMD amount (Rs): 1,47,26,000/-, Eligibility of Contractor: Eligible Contractors, Period of completion including monsoon in months : 24 Months (Twenty Four)

KWB/CE(K)/TEC/WS/SND-SRG-KRD/AMRUT2/2023-24/1547 Date : 01-03-2024

2) Pkg No.: 2, Name and description of work : Providing Water Supply Scheme to Sandur, Siruguppa and Kurugodu towns under AMRUT 2.0 including Operation & Maintenance for a period of 5 years (including 1 year DLP) through Design, Build Operation and Transfer (DBOT) mode - No variation (Work Indent No : **KUWSDB/2023-24 / WS / WORK_INDENT130/ CALL2),** Amount of Estimate: **Rs.13078.17 Lakhs** (Excluding GST), Details of Tender application amount and EMD amount (Rs): 1,54,32,000/-, Eligibility of Contractor: Eligible Contractors, Period of completion including monsoon in months : 24 Months (Twenty Four) 3) Date & Time of Pre-Bid Meeting: **06-03-2024 at 11:30 Hours,** 4) Last Date and Time for receipt of Tenders: **11-03-2024 Up to 17:30 Hours**, 5) Date and Time for Opening of Tender : **13-03-2024 After 11:00 Hours**, 6) Addl. information: Chief Engineer Office, KUWS & D Board, Kalaburagi Zone, Opp. Mini Vidhan Soudha, Aiwan Shahi Road, Kalaburagi – 585102. Tel : 08472-220817, Fax : 08472-260818 E-mail ID : kwbceklb14@gmail.com, 7). Address of E-portail: **www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/- Chief Engineer
KUWS & D Board, Kalaburagi Zone, Kalaburagi
DIPR/Kalaburagi/936/KSMC&A/2023-24

pnb punjab national bank

Oriental Union
Bo: SASTRA Department: Circle : Bangalore East Raheja Towers, Ist Floor, 26-27, M.G.Road, Bangalore-560001. E-mial: cs8191@pnb.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable Property)

Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the **Punjab National Bank, Sastra, Bengaluru-East,** under Securitisation And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 read the Rule 3 Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 has issued a Demand Notices calling upon the Borrowers mentioned below to repay the dues within **60 days** from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The Borrower having failed to repay the amount, Notice is hereby given to the Borrowers/Guarantor/Mortgagor/ and the Public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section (4) of Section (4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on below.

The Borrowers in particular and the Public in General is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Punjab National Bank,** for an amount mentioned below with further interest and expenses thereon.

The borrower's/guarantors/mortgagors attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Sl. No.	1) Name of te Borrowers 2) Branch Name	Date of Demand, Possession & Amount Due	Facility	Description of Properties
1.	Mr. C KRISHNAPPA S/o Sri CHANNAPPA	26.10.2021, 01.03.2024 Rs 8,92,378.10/- (Rupees Eight lakhs Ninety Two Thousand Three Hundred and Seventy Eight and Paise Ten Only) being the dues as on 25.10.2021 with further interest and charges	Term Loan	All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing **Flat No.G1 Ground Floor, Manisha Towers** Site No.193&194, Khata No.85 of Infocity -1 Raghunathapura village, Bashettihalli Gram Panchayath, Kasaba Hobli, Doddaballapur Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, measuring 1100sq feet of super built up area, along with Car parking in basement floor bearing No. C-2 along with undivided share in the land to 400sqfect, Bounded on: East by: Flat No.G-2, West by : Flat No.85/195, North by : Private Property, South by: Layout Road.
2.	Mrs. AMBUJA & Mr. C KRISHNAPPA S/o Sri CHANNAPPA	26.10.2021, 01.03.2024 Rs. 11,22,281.95/- (Rupees Eleven lakhs Twenty Two Thousand Two Hundred and Eighty One and Ninety Five Paise Only) being the dues as on 25.10.2021 with further interest and charges	Term Loan	All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing Flat no.S-1 Second Floor, Manisha Towers Site No. 193 & 194, khata No.85 of Infocity-1, Raghunathapura village, Bashettihalli Gram Panchayath, Kasaba Hobli, Doddaballapur Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, measuring 1100 sq feet of super built up area, with RCC roofing and ceramic Flooring, Saal wood Doorsand Aluminum windows including Electrical connections MSI No.35433 in basement floor along with 400 square feet out of 2400 sq ft of land with Undivided share of rights, title and interest and together with proportion ate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, staircases, other areas of common use with concealed wiring and Bounded East by: Flat No.S-2, West by: Flat No.85/195, North by: Private Property, South by: Road. Registered as document No.DBP-1-07963-2007-08, Book No.1, recorded in CD No.DBPD141 dated 19.02.2008 registered in the office of Sub Registrar, Doddaballapura.

Date: 01.03.2024
Place: Bangalore
For Punjab National Bank (SECURED CREDITOR) (Smt E Shivakumari))
Chief Manager (AUTHORISED OFFICER)

Karnataka Renewable Energy Development Limited

(A Government of Karnataka Undertaking)
#6/13/1, KREDL Office Building, 10th Block, 2nd Stage, Nagarabhavi, Bengaluru-560072.

SHORT-TERM E-TENDER NOTICE

The KREDL, Corporate office, Bengaluru - 560 072, invites electronic bids under two cover system from the manufacturers of wind turbine generators OR those with Operation and Maintenance experience in wind power plants. The details of the bids are available in e-procurement portal (**http://kppp.karnataka.gov.in**). For more details please contact 080-2228 2220 during office hours, interested bidders need to register with e-procurement portal for participation in the bid.

Sl. No.	Enquiry No.	Particulars	Amount put to Tender Rs. in Lakh	EMD amount Rs. in Lakh
1	KRED/08/Sogi-O&M/F-197 (Vol.5)/ Call-4/ 2023, DATE: 27.02.2024. (Ref: KREDL/2023-24/ SE0007/CALL-2)	Operation and maintenance of 2 Nos. of 1.25 MW capacity WTG and other related equipments at Sogi Village Huvinahadagali Taluk, Ballari District for a period of 36 Months.	78.75	1.6
2	KRED/08/MVH-O&M-8.4 MW/F-1984/Call-3/2023, DATE: 27.02.2024 (Ref:KREDL/2023-24 /SE0008/CALL-2)	Operation and maintenance of 4

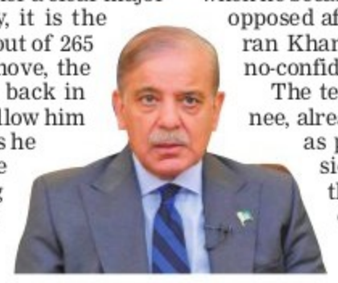
Shehbaz Sharif set to become Pak's prime minister for a second time

ISLAMABAD

TOP PML-N leader Shehbaz Sharif is set to become the 33rd Prime Minister of Pakistan on Sunday, once again leading a coalition government, amidst allegations of rigging of polls and facing staggering economic and security challenges. Shehbaz, who is the joint candidate of Pakistan Muslim League-Nawaz (PML-N) and Pakistan Peoples Party (PPP), has already submitted his nomination. His challenger Omar Ayub Khan of Pakistan Tehreek-e-Insaf (PTI) too has filed his papers. PML-N president Shehbaz, 72, is the younger brother of former three-time prime minister Nawaz Sharif, 74. Voting in the National Assembly to elect the new prime minister would be held on Sunday, according to the National Assembly Secretariat. The successful candidate will be administered the oath of office on Monday at the Presidential mansion, Aiwan-e-Sadr.

Shehbaz is known as an able administrator due to the swift execution of mega-development projects while serving as chief minister of the Punjab province. However, he failed to exhibit the qualities when elevated to serve as prime minister for a 16-month stint in 2022. He faces the menacing challenges of a fragile economy and the increasing threat of terrorism. His government would also have to face the street power of jailed former prime minister Imran Khan's Pakistan Tehreek-e-Insaf party which had been protesting against the alleged rigging of elections.

In the February 8 polls, the Sharifs-led party failed to garner a clear majority, albeit technically, it is the largest party with 75 out of 265 seats. In a surprise move, the elder Sharif stepped back in favour of Shehbaz to allow him to lead the coalition as he is believed to have the knack of taking along diverse groups in the polarised country. The PPP and four smaller parties have joined the coalition with the PPP supporting the government from outside in return for PML-N support for the election of its senior leader and former president Asif Ali Zardari as the president once again.



Shehbaz Sharif's election as the prime minister is almost certain since the PML-N and PPP's candidates for the Speaker and the Deputy Speaker of the National Assembly were elected on Friday with a comfortable majority. Shehbaz served as prime minister of a coalition government from April 2022 to August 2023 before Parliament was dissolved to hold general elections.

Quoting 'highly placed sources,' The News International newspaper reported that President Arif Alvi, known for his closeness to Imran Khan, has consented to administer the oath to the new prime minister. Interestingly, President Alvi had declined ' on the pretext of health problems ' to administer the oath to Shehbaz Sharif in April 2022 when he became the prime minister unopposed after the ouster of the Imran Khan government through a no-confidence vote.

The term for Alvi, a PTI nominee, already expired last year but, as per Constitutional provisions, he will need to hold the post until the election of the new president, which is set to be held on March 9. *PTI*

PPP's Sarfaraz Bugti elected unopposed as CM of Balochistan

Karachi : The Pakistan Peoples Party candidate Sarfaraz Bugti was elected unopposed as the new chief minister of the restive Balochistan province on Saturday. No other candidate filed any nomination paper for the chief minister's post till the given deadline on Friday following which Bugti was declared winner

Imran Khan nominates Mahmood Khan Achakzai as presidential candidate

Islamabad: The Sunni Ittehad Council backed by Imran Khan's party on Saturday named the Pashtun'khwa Milli Awami Party chief Mahmood Khan Achakzai as their presidential candidate against Asif Ali Zardari, the joint nominee of the PML-N and the PPP.

Pak court confirms interim bail of Imran Khan in 4 cases

Lahore: A Pakistani court has confirmed the interim bail of jailed former prime minister Imran Khan in four cases related to the May 9 violence and others, according to a media report on Saturday. The 71-year-old Pakistan-Tehreek-e-Insaf (PTI) party founder is currently incarcerated at Rawalpindi's high-security Adiala jail in multiple cases.

Jill Biden blasts Trump as 'dangerous to women and to our families'

ATLANTA

FIRST lady Jill Biden warned on Friday that returning Donald Trump to the White House would threaten women who already have watched the former president's Supreme Court picks nix a federal right to abortion services. "Trump has spent a lifetime tearing us down and devaluing our existence," she said in Atlanta, where she launched a multistate battleground tour to highlight President Joe Biden's re-election campaign outreach programme aimed at women. "I've been so proud of how Joe has placed women at the heart of his agenda," the first lady said of her husband. She contrasted him to Trump, who she said "mocks women's bodies, disrespects our accomplishments and brags about assault " and, as recently as this week, took credit for "killing Roe v. Wade." It was an unusually pointed take-down from Jill Biden. She has long been a smiling, supportive advocate for her husband, often telling endearing stories about their marriage and family and her own career as an educator. Her remarks on Friday signaled a more aggressive role in what is setting up to be a bitter rematch of the 2020 election. Women are likely to play a crucial role, especially in the relative handful of states that will determine the Electoral College outcome.

"We are the first generation in half a century to give our daughters a country with fewer rights than we had," she said, adding that women must organize in 2024 and "meet this moment as if our rights are at risk ' because they are." Besides visiting Georgia, the first lady will highlight the campaign's "Women for Biden" effort with weekend events in Arizona, Nevada and Wisconsin.

The president won all four states in 2020, and each is expected to be hotly contested in November.

On Friday, Vice President Kamala Harris released a video affirming her role alongside the first lady as the president's top validator to women. "At a woman-owned event space in downtown Atlanta, Jill Biden listed administration accomplishments and priorities, assuring a friendly audience that "Joe and Kamala" will push for a national abortion rights law superseding state restrictions, while also protecting access to fertility treatments and birth control.

Trump's campaign countered with a different slate of issues and highlighted the recent killing of a Georgia college student as proof the former president can serve women better than the incumbent who defeated him in 2020. *AP*

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform General Public that my client is intending to purchase the "B" and "C" schedule property belonging to Sri.D V Badrinath, Son of Sri.Vasudevagupta D R, Aged about 45 years, residing at No: 893. Seventh Main, Third Stage, Rajarajeshwarinagar, Bangalore-560098, PAN:AHYPD7805P/ AADHAAR: 7726 0009 02801;

Any, person, having any claim over the "B" and "C" schedule property claiming through the predecessors in title or any other person, may lodge their objections or claims, in writing with all supporting documentary evidence by registered post with regard to such claim with the undersigned within 10 (ten) days hereof, failing which my client will proceed to conclude the Sale Transaction. Any claims lodged thereafter will not be entertained by my client;

"A" SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the entire residential property bearing No.3, (earlier MHB No.27/385, situated at First Block Jayanagar, Bangalore), presently situated at Ninth Cross, First Block Jayanagar, Bangalore Ward No.-153-Jayanagar (old ward No.62), PID No.62-134-3, with a stilt, ground and three upper floors and each floor having one residential unit and bounded on the:

East by : Property bearing MHB No.26/384;
West by : Property bearing MHB No.28/386;
North by : Property bearing MHB No.18/376;
South by : Road;
MEASURING:
East to West: 45 feet;
North to South : 65 feet;
In all ad-measuring 2,925 Sq ft;

SCHEDULE "B" PROPERTY

730 (Seven Hundred and Thirty) square feet undivided, right, title, ownership, share and interest in the land of the "A" Schedule property

SCHEDULE "C" PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of three BHK residential unit privately numbered as FF-02 in First Floor, with a super built up area of 2,300 Sq.ft together with corresponding 730 Sq.ft. of undivided share and interest in the land of the "A" Schedule Property and with two covered car parking space in the stilt floor, together with all amenities, right of easements, facilities provided in the "A" Schedule property;

N S RACHANA
N C JANARDHAN
Rachana Law Associates,
"Lakshmideep", I Floor, No:2980,
17th Cross, Banasharkari II Stage,
BANGALORE – 560 070;
PH : 9886284325/9731810810
Dt:02-03-2024

IN THE HON'BLE COURT OF THE CIVIL JUDGE & J.M.F.C AT NELAMANGALA
C Mis No-63/2024 & C Mis No- 64/2024 & C Mis No- 65/2024 & C Mis No-66/2024

PETITIONERS: Sri. **Krishnappa** & Others -V/s-
RESPONDENT : The Tahasildar Chief registrar of birth and death Nelamangala Taluk, Nelamangala.

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION

Whereas, the petitioners above named has presented the above petitions to this Hon'ble court under section 13(3) of Registration of births and deaths act-1969 for order direct the respondent authority to get enter the date of death of The Great Grand Father of the Petitioner No-1, 5, 6 by name Muddarangaiah S/o Late. Halaiah was died on 16-08-1950 and The Great Grand Mother of the Petitioner No-1, 5, 6 by name Muttamma W/o Late. Muddarangaiah was died on Dated: 20.11.1955 and The Grand Father of the Petitioner No-1, 5, 6 by name Rangabettaiah S/o Late. Muddarangaiah was died on 05.04.1969 and The Grand Mother of the Petitioner No-1, 5, 6 by name Rangamma W/o Late. Rangabettaiah was died on 15-06-1964 at Baraguru Village, Sompura Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangaluru Rural District and order to issue death certificate of Petitioner No-1, 5, 6 Great Grandfather, Great Grand Mother, Grand Father, Grand Mother, The Hon'ble court has fixed on **20-04-2024** for hearing of the petitions and that if any person/s desire to oppose the said petitioners claim, or interest shall appear before the Hon'ble Court in person or by pleader duly instructed at 11:00 A.M failing which they said applications will be heard and determined as exparte.

Given under my and and the seal of the court on 26-02-2024.

By order of the court, Chief Ministerial Officer, Court of the civil judge & JMFC at Nelamangala.

Advocate for petitioner: **VASANTHA KUMAR .N**
No. 180, Rayan Nagara, Junior College Road, Nelamangala-562123. Mob.: 9141589517

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are informed that our client intends to purchase Property bearing Site No.477, bearing BBMP E Aasthi Property No.477, (PID No.84-65-477) measuring East to West 66 Feet and North to South 40 Feet, in all measuring 2640 Sq.Feet, situated at **N.G.E.F. layout, Benniganahalli, K.R.Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore** from its owner Mr.Deepak Srinivasa Padmanabhan son of Late Mr.V.S Padmanabhan.

Persons having any right over the said property may lodge their objections/ claim with documentary evidence within **7 days** from the date of this publication, to the undersigned.

K.V. Narendra & Associates,
Advocates
No. 557, 2nd Floor, 9th A Main, Indiranagar, Bangalore - 560038
Ph: 9945109229 / 9591067392.

Government of Kerala
IMPACT Kerala Ltd, Thiruvananthapuram,Phone: 0471-3502419
National Competitive Bidding (E-Tender) Notice

E-Tenders are invited from qualified registered bidders for the following works implemented by this Office.

Project Name	Date of Publishing	Date of Submission	Date of Opening
Modern Gas Crematorium in Ezhome Grama Panchyath	05-03-2024	05-04-2024	09-04-2024
Modern Slaughterhouse in Attingal Municipality	05-03-2024	20-05-2024	24-05-2024
Modern Slaughterhouse in Punalur Municipality	05-03-2024	20-05-2024	24-05-2024
Modern Slaughter house in Thrissur Corporation	05-03-2024	20-05-2024	24-05-2024
Modern Slaughter house in Kaloor, Kochi Corporation	05-03-2024	20-05-2024	24-05-2024

Detailed information on the same can be obtained from the Office of IMPACT Kerala Ltd. and from the website https://etenders.kerala.gov.in and https://impactkerala.lsgkerala.gov.in

Ro/D3/180/2024/I&PRD

इंडियन बैंक Indian Bank इलाहाबाद ALLAHABAD
SOMANAHALLI BRANCH
No.83/1, Opp BMTC Bus Stand, Somanahalli Block, Somanahalli, Bangalore-560082

APPENDIX - IV
POSSESSION NOTICE
{Rule-8(1)} (for Immovable Property)

Whereas the Undersigned being the AuthorizedOfficer of the **Indian Bank** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under the Section 13 (12) read with rule 8 and 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice dated 07.12.2023 calling upon the borrower(s)& guarantor(s) **1. Mrs Sarvamangala W/o. Mahadev,** Address - Property No-09, Gramatana Khaneshumari No-13, Khata No-13/9/A, Village-Gantakanadoddi, Yesumadu Dhakale Kaggalahalli, Harohalihobli Kanakpura Taluk Ramanagara PIN-562112. **2. Mrs Dhanalakshmi W/o. Somashekar,** Address-No-24, Nelaguli, Bolare, Kanakapura Main Road, Bangalore South, PIN-560082 torepay the amount mentioned in the notice being "Home loan Account Number-50475116387 for **Rs.7,20,444/- (Rupees Seven lakhs twenty thousand four hundred forty four only)** as on 07.12.2023 together with future interest from 08.12.2023 till date of payment and costs within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The present amount due as on 02.03.2024

"Home loan Account Number-50475116387 for **Rs.7,43,334/- (Rupees Seven lakhs forty three thousand three hundred and thirty four rupees only)** as on 02.03.2024 together with further interest, cost, other charges and expenses thereon from 03.03.2024 till date of payment

The borrower&guarantors having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers& guarantors and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13 (4) of the said Act read with said rules on this **02nd March 2024**

The borrowers& guarantors& mortgagors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the Indian Bank for an amount of "Home loan Account Number-50475116387 for **Rs.7,43,334/- (Rupees Seven lakhs forty three thousand three hundred and thirty four rupees only)** As on 02.03.2024 together with further interest, cost, other charges and expenses thereon from 03.03.2024 till date of payment

We draw attention to the provisions of Section 13(8) of the SARFAESI Act and the Rules framed there under which deals with the rights of redemption over the securities

SCHEDULE: The specific details of the assets in which security interest is created are enumerated hereunder.

Mortgaged assets: All that piece and parcel of the property bearing bearing no 09 Gramatana Khaneshumari No.13, E-Khata No.13/9/A RDPR No.152900200401500076 situated at Gantakanadoddi Village Yedumadu Dhakale, Kaggalahalli-VP, Harohalli hobli Kanakpura taluk Ramnagara District, measuring east to west 30feet, North to South: 17 feet totally 510 Sq.feet and **bounded on:** East by: Road; West by: Remaining portion of the same property; North by: Remaining portion of the same property, South By: Property belongs to mallikarjunaiah.

Date: 02.03.2024, Place: Bengaluru **Authorised Officer, Indian Bank**

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that our client has negotiated with Mrs. Gowramma W/o Late Bande Veerabhadraiah, aged about 70 years, and her family members, residing at Kolar Taluk, Handrahalli, Kolar Karnataka 563101, to purchase the Schedule Property for valuable consideration. Any person(s) claiming any right, title or interest of whatsoever nature over the Schedule Property is called upon to lodge such claim with the undersigned, with supporting documents within 7 days from the date of this publication. In the event no such claim(s) is received within the stipulated time, it shall be lawful for our client to presume that there are no valid claim(s) adverse to Mrs. Gowramma and her family member's right, title and interest in the Schedule Property and proceeds with the proposed sale transaction.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of agricultural land bearing New Sy.No.129 old Sy.No.79, measuring 2 Acre 38 Guntas, situated at, Andrahalli Village, Vernagallu Hobli, Kolar Taluk and District.

Boundaries:

East by : Block 2,
West by : Land belonging to the Government,
North by : Land belonging to Mr. Venkateshappa,
South by : Government gudda

M/s. B.M. Associates,
Advocates & Consultants,
No. 7/1, Top Floor, G.J. Complex,
100 feet Road, Indiranagar I stage,
Bangalore -560 038.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Our Clients **(i). Smt. R. Premavathi,** W/o. Sri. N. Kodanda Rama Reddy, **(ii). Sri. M. Satish,** S/o. Sri. N. Muni Reddy and **(iii). Sri. M. Roopesh,** S/o. N. Sri. Muni Reddy had entered into a registered Joint Development Agreement ("JDA") dated 30.10.2021 with M/s. MSR Dwelling Pvt. Ltd., represented by its Director Mr. Madhusudhaan S. Reddy, s/o. Sri. Sreerama Reddy to develop a residential layout in the property bearing Sy. No.176/1 to an extent of 4 acres, 29 guntas (property belonging to Smt. R. Premavathi), Sy.No.179/1 measuring 2 acres, 37½ guntas (belonging to Sri. M. Satish) and Sy. No.179/2 measuring 2 acres, 37 ½ guntas (belonging to Sri. M. Roopesh) of Narayanakere Village, Anugondanahalli Hobli, Hoskote Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District, which is more fully described in the schedule hereunder and hereinafter referred as "Schedule Property".

Our Clients along with the aforementioned JDA contemporaneously executed a General Power of Attorney ("GPA") dated 30.10.2021, which is duly registered as Document No. HSK-4-00426-2021-22, Book IV, stored in CD No.HSKD1388, at the office of the Sub-Registrar, Hosakote, Bengaluru, in favour of M/s. MSR Dwelling Pvt. Ltd., represented by its Director Mr. Madhusudhaan S. Reddy, s/o. Sri. Sreerama Reddy for the purpose of getting permissions from various authorities etc. As M/s. MSR Dwelling Pvt. Ltd. failed to act in accordance with the letter and spirit of the aforesaid registered General Power of Attorney and Joint Development Agreement, our clients was constrained to take legal action. Therefore, by means of notice dated 09-01-2024, our clients have terminated and cancelled the aforesaid JDA & GPA Both dated 30.10.2021 Our clients is also in the process of initiating appropriate legal action.

The General public, Financial Institutions, Financiers etc., are hereby cautioned not to deal with the Schedule Property at the instance of M/s. MSR Dwelling Pvt. Ltd. or Mr. Madhusudhaan S. Reddy or any person acting or claiming under them. M/s. MSR Dwelling Pvt. Ltd. or Mr. Madhusudhaan S. Reddy or any person acting or claiming under M/s. MSR Dwelling Pvt. has no manner of right, title, interest in relation to the Schedule Property or to represent our clients in any manner. Inspite of this Public Notice, if any transaction is entered into relation to the Schedule Property, the same would be null and void and will not affect the rights of our clients in any manner whatsoever.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

Item No.1: All that piece and parcel of the agricultural dry land bearing Sy. No.176/1, measuring to an extent of 4 Acres, 29 Guntas, situated at Narayanakere Village, Anugondanahalli Hobli, Hosakote Taluk, Bangalore Rural District and bounded on the:
East by : Land bearing Sy.Nos.174/1 &175,
West by : Land bearing Sy.No.179,
North by : Land bearing Sy. No.192,
South by : Land bearing Sy. No.176/3 & 177/3.

Item No.2: All that piece and parcel of the agricultural dry land bearing Sy. No.179/1 (Old Sy No.179), measuring to an extent of 2 Acres, 37.08 Guntas, situated at Narayanakere Village, Anugondanahalli Hobli, Hosakote Taluk, Bangalore Rural District and bounded on the:
East by : Land bearing Sy.Nos.191, 192 & 176/1,
West by : Land bearing Sy.No.180,
North by : Land bearing Sy. No.189,
South by : Land bearing Sy.Nos.179/2.

Item No.3: All that piece and parcel of the agricultural dry land bearing Sy. No.179/1 (Old Sy.No.179), measuring to an extent of 2 Acres, 37.08 Guntas, situated at Narayanakere Village, Anugondanahalli Hobli, Hosakote Taluk, Bangalore Rural District and bounded on the:
East by : Land bearing Sy.No.176/1,
West by : Land bearing Sy.Nos.180 & 178,
North by : Land bearing Sy. No.179/1,
South by : Land bearing Sy.Nos.177/1 & 177/3.

ABHINAV .R, Advocate
KUMAR & KUMAR, Advocates
F-113, 3rd Floor, Central Chambers, 2nd Main, Gandhinagar, Bengaluru-560 009.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby informed that my Clients the Indian Bank, New ThippasandraBranch, No.622, 12th Main Road, 80 feet Road, HAL 2nd Stage, Bangalore, had accepted as security the below mentioned immovable property title deeds from the present owner Sri. Mohan Manghnani, for sanction of a housing loan.

It is reported that the following original title deeds has been lost during transit.

1. 16.11.1987- Original Allotment Letter dated 11.11.1987 in respect of Site No.4C-113 of East of NGEF issued by Bangalore Development to Chandramouli.
2. 23.02.1993- Photo copy Lease Cum Sale deed dated 23.02.1993 executed by Bangalore Development Authority in favour of K Chandra Mouli.
3. 08.04.1993- Original Possession Certificate dated 08.04.1993 issued by Bangalore Development Authority in favour of K Chandra Mouli.
4. 25.10.1994-Original Khata Certificate issued by BDA In the Name of K Chandra Mouli
5. 06.08.2003-Original Absolute Sale deed dated 06.08.2003 executed by Bangalore Development Authority in favour of K Chandra Mouli.
6. 23.11.2006-Original Rectification Deed dated 23.11.2006 executed by Bangalore Development Authority in favour of K Chandra Mouli, vide Document No.BDA-1-05065/2006-07, Book-I, stored in CD No.BDAD-116, in the office of Sub-Registrar, BDA, Bangalore.
7. 24.11.2006 –Original Absolute sale deed dated 24.11.2006 execute by K Chandra Mouli. in favour of Mohan Manghnani S/o Santumal Bherumal Manghnani, vide Document No.KRI-1-27910/2006-07, Book-I, stored in CD No.KRID-271, in the office of Sub-Registrar, K.R. Pura Bangalore, has been lost in the hands of the Indian Bank, New Thippasandra Branch, Bangalore.
8. 22.02.2007-Original Khata Endorsement issued by BBMP
9. 22.02.2007- OriginalKhata Certificate issued by BBMP
10. 22.02.2007- Original Khata Extract issued by BBMP

Persons having claims or having any right, title or interest in the schedule mentioned property, may lodge their objections and / or claims with the undersigned along with supporting documentary evidence within 14 days from the date of this publication and objections and / or claims received thereafter will not be binding on my clients and my clients will proceed with the mortgage transaction of below mentioned property, as if there are no claimants / objections.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Residential Vacant Site bearing Municipal No.4C-113, allotted by the Bangalore Development Authority, situated at East of NGEF Layout (Banaswadi Village), Kasturinagar, Ward No.84, Bangalore, measuring East to West : 12.20 meters and North to South : 18.30 meters, in all measuring 223.26 square meters, and bounded on:

East by : Site bearing No.4C-115
West by : Site bearing No.4C-111
North by : Site bearing No.4AC-114
South by : 4th Cross Road

Kavitha S. & Associates,
Advocates & Legal Consultants
1006/1, 2nd Floor, Balaji Building, HAL Airport Exit Road, Bangalore - 560 017.
Mobile: 96868 58225

IN THE COURT OF THE VI ADDL. DISTRICT AND SESSIONS JUDGE AT BENGALURU RURAL DISTRICT COURT
P&SC No. 12/2024
(In the matter of Grant Letters of Administration in respect of the Will executed by the deceased late. Yellappa)

BETWEEN: B.M. SHEKAR, S/o late Mooganna, Aged about 49 years, Bagur Village, Anugondanahalli Village, Hoskote Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District ...PETITIONER

AND: Nil...RESPONDENT

PUBLIC NOTICE

WHEREAS, the Petitioner above named have filed a petition under Section 278 of the Indian Succession Act 1925, seeking to issue Letters of Administration in the names of the Petitioner in respect of the WILL dated 05.01.2000 executed by late. Yellappa in respect of the schedule properties to have effect throughout the state of Karnataka in "Kannada Prabha" and "Indian Express" in Kannada and English. If any objections regarding the said petition arises, kindly file objections to the said petition or appear before the Hon'ble Court in person or through an Advocate on **20/04/2024 at 11 A.M** in the above petition, failing which the said petition will be heard and determined ex-parte.

SCHEDULE

Item No.1: All that piece and parcel of land bearing Sy.No.55 measuring 3 acres 28 guntas, situated at Tiruvaranga Village, Anugondanahalli Hobli, Hoskote Taluk and bounded as follows:- **East by :** Bagur Gadi and Jayamma, W/o Mooganna's Land, **West by:** Sy.No.66 measuring 4 Acres 09 Guntas, **North by:** S.D.Anand and B.V.Nagappa's land, **South by:** Venkataramanappa, S/o Thirumalappa's land.

Item No.2: All that piece and parcel of land bearing Sy.No.57/2 measuring 0.26 guntas, situated at Tiruvaranga Village, Anugondanahalli Hobli, Hoskote Taluk and bounded as follows:- **East by:** Government Canal and Gurappa's Krishnappa's land, **West by:** Venkataramanappa, S/o Thirumalappa's land, **North by:** Venkataramanappa, S/o Thirumalappa's land **South by:** Rathnamma, W/o Muniyappa's land.

Item No.3: All that piece and parcel of land bearing Sy.No.58/1 measuring 1 acre 13 guntas, situated at Tiruvaranga Village, Anugondanahalli Hobli, Hoskote Taluk and bounded as follows:- **East by :** Government Canal and BDK Ramanarayana Reddy's land, **West by :** Land bearing Sy No. 65/5 of Yellappa, **North by :** Venkataramappa, S/o Thirumalappa's land, , **South by :** Rathnamma, W/o Muniyappa's land.

Item No.4: All that piece and parcel of land bearing Sy.No.59 measuring 4 acres 27 guntas, situated at Tiruvaranga Village, Anugondanahalli Hobli, Hoskote Taluk and bounded as follows:- **East by:** Baguru Gadi and Dasari Krishnappa's land, **West by:** Krishnappa, S/o Venkataramanappa's land, **North by:** Rathnamma, W/o Muniyappa's land, **South by:** Sy.No.68 measuring 11 acres 20 guntas belonging to Yellappa and Bajjanna

Item No.5: All that piece and parcel of land bearing Sy.No.60 measuring 11 acres 20 guntas, situated at Tiruvaranga Village, Anugondanahalli Hobli, Hoskote Taluk and bounded as follows:- **East by:** Chikkaramappa, Inam Ramaiah and B.S. Vasudevan's land, **West by:** Ningappa, S/o Bajjanna, Ramaiah, S/o Bajjanna and Krishnappa, S/o Venkataramanappa's lands **North by:** Sy.No.59 measuring 4 acres 27 guntas Belonging to Yellappa and Bajjanna, **South by:** Pinakini river and in between on property.

Item No.6: All that piece and parcel of land bearing Sy.No.66 measuring 4 acres 09 guntas, situated at Tiruvaranga Village, Anugondanahalli Hobli, Hoskote Taluk and bounded as follows:- **East by:** Sy.No.55 measuring 3 acres 28 guntas belonging to Yellappa, **West by:** Mangaluru-Chikka Tirupathi Road, **North by:** Sy.No.67 measuring 4 Acres 28 Guntas belonging to Yellappa, **South by:** Venkataramanappa, S/o Thirumalappa and Sy.No.65 belonging to Yellappa.

Item No.7: All that piece and parcel of land bearing Sy.No.65 measuring 5 acres 39 guntas, situated at Tiruvaranga Village, Anugondanahalli Hobli, Hoskote Taluk and bounded as follows:- **East by:** Yellappa Thirumalappa and Rathnamma, W/o Thirumalappa's land, **West by:** Mangaluru-Chikka Tirupathi Road, **North by:** Sy.No.66 measuring 4 acres 09 guntas belonging to Yellappa, **South by:** Krishnappa, S/o Venkataramanappa and Ningappa, S/o Bajjanna's land.

Item No.8: All that piece and parcel of land bearing Sy.No.67 measuring 4 acres 28 guntas, situated at Tiruvaranga Village, Anugondanahalli Hobli, Hoskote Taluk and bounded as follows:- **East by:** Sarjapura S.D.Anand's land, **West by:** Mangaluru-Chikka Tirupathi Road, **North by:** Mangaluru-Chikka Tirupathi Road, **South by:** Sy.No.66 measuring 4 Acres 09 Guntas belonging to Yellappa.

Given under my hand and seal of this court, on this 29/02/2024.

By order of the Court, Chief Administrative Officer, District Sessions Court, Bangalore Rural District, Bengaluru

Advocate for Petitioner
Sri. S. Kalyan Basavaraj,
Dr. Prajwal K. Aradhya & Lokesh Rao B.S
Advocates
No.102, 1st Floor, Pristine Vara, Infantry Road, Bengaluru-560 001.

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client **Raju** S/o Mani, aged about 31 years, R/at No.1207, Near Mariyamma Temple, Ullalu Upanagar, Ullalu, Bengaluru-56, he lost original Registered Sale deed dated 08.03.2006, vide Document No.BLN-1-08350/2006-07, stored in CD No.BLND264, in the office of Sub-Registrar, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore, for property bearing No.199, measuring East to West 20 feet and North to south 15 feet, Totally 300 Sq. feet, situated at Ullalu Village, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, while taking photo copy in Manjushree Xerox Shop, Ullalu Upanagar, Bangalore. In this regard my client lodged Police Complaint on 25.02.2024 vide Lost Report No.0948615/2024.

If any person/institution has any claim or interest of any nature pertaining to aforesaid property and document, the said claims along with supporting document shall be filed with undersigned **within 7 days** from the date of publication of this notice at the address mentioned below. Any claim raised thereafter shall not be entertained or binding.

T.D. RAMACHANDRA, Advocate
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PUBLIC NOTICE

LOST OF ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS

The General Public are here by notified that my client **Shri HAPURAM RATHORE** residing at No. 20/1, 16th cross, Bangalore North Bangalore 560 073, have lost his original Sale deed dated 28.10.2023 registered as document No. MDP-1- 02165-2012-2013 in the office of the Sub-Registrar Madanayakanahalli, property bearing site no. 1, formed in Gramatana Katha no. 695, situated at Thogaddaguddahalli Village, Dasanapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk measuring East to west 24 feet and North to South 50 feet in all 1200 sq ft and bounded on the **East by:** Road, **West by:** site no. 02, **North by:** Road, **South by:** Property of Honnaramaiah. In this regard Police complaint has lodged, GSC No. PO1098160600908, if any persons find the same may be handed over to the address stated below.

VEENA RANI .J S, Advocate
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PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to bring to the kind notice of the General Public that, My Clients 1) MR.SHAMSHEER RAMACHAM PARAMBATH 2) MR.SHANOJ.R.P 3) MRS.SHALATT.R.P, have lost/misplaced the Original Three Sale Deeds i.e Sale deed dated 19.10.1977, Document No.2074/1977-78, Sale deed dated 17.09.1968, Document no.2053/1968-69, and Sale deed dated 17.09.1968, document no.2054/1968-69, & Possession Certificate, pertaining to the scheduled property, and further state that My clients have not created any encumbrance/charge over the schedule property, in any banks, financial institutions.etc.

And Further state that My clients 1) MR.SHAMSHEER RAMACHAM PARAMBATH 2) MR.SHANOJ.R.P 3) MRS.SHALATT.R.P, are availing a loan in Nationalized banks or in any other Financial Institutions, etc., and if anybody having objections or claim over the said property or the original documents they can lodge their claim and objection with relevant documents with the undersigned within Seven (7) days from the date of this notice, failing which the claims of all such persons shall be deemed to have been waived or abandoned., and My Clients shall avail a Home loan/Mortgage etc., with respect of the schedule property.

Further, If any person/s finds the above original document Original Three Sale Deeds i.e Sale deed dated 19.10.1977, Document No.2074/1977-78, Sale deed dated 17.09.1968, document no.2053/1968-69, and Sale deed dated 17.09.1968, document no. 2054/1968-69, & Possession Certificate, may be delivered to the below mentioned address.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

ALL THAT PIECE AND PARCEL, of the Residential property bearing No.91 (formed by the I.T.I. Employee House-Building Co-operative Society Ltd, Doorvaninagar, Bangalore-16) and situated at Khayam Gutta Byadarahalli (Williams Town), Corporation Division No.46, Bengaluru. Present BBMP No.91, PID No.91-17-91, situated at 1st Cross, ITI Layout, S.K.Garden, Bengaluru, Old Ward No.46, later on 91, BBMP Present Ward No.61, the property is measuring East to West: 69.0 feet [21.03 mtrs] and North to South: 50.0 feet [15.24 mtrs], totally measuring 3450 Sq.ft. [320.51 Sq.Mtrs] together with RCC building consisting of 209.03175 square Mtrs on the ground floor and 209.03175 Sq.Mtrs, on the first floor, with all civil amenities, constructed during the year 1994 and bounded on:- **East by :** Property No.64 & 65, **West by :** Road, **North by :** Property No.92, South by : Property No.90

K. MANJUNATHA LAW ASSOCIATES,
Advocates & Legal Consultants ,
Office at No. 393 & No.40/5, First Floor, 19th Main Road 1st Block, Rajajinagar, Bangalore-560010.Date: 02-03-2024

PUBLIC NOTICE

The under signed advocate on behalf of my clients **Sri Siddappa & others** have the above petition for the death certificate of **Venkatamma W/o Late Venkatappa was died on 12-06-1986** at Avathi Village. Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District. If any parties who have objections may dispute regarding the same can appear before the Civil Judge & JMFC at Devanahalli and date of hearing on **20/3/2024 at 11.00 A.M. in C.Misc.No. 8/2024.**

By Order of the Court, Sd/- Chief Ministerial Officer
Civil Judge & JMFC Court, Devanahalli
Sri D.M. Krishnappa, Advocate

IN THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II
4TH FLOOR, BSNL BUILDING, RAJBHAVAN ROAD, BENGALURU-560001
I.A.NO. 422/2021 IN O.A.No. 31/2020

In The Matter of:
State Bank of India, Harohalli Branch (Chamundeshwari Layout, Bangalore-Kanakapura Road, Ramanagara) ...Applicant Bank
And
Mr. B.S.Gowda, S/o Bolegowda Proprietor: M/s.Sheep Breeding Farm
And Another ...Defendants

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANTS UNDER RULE 23(VIII) OF RDB ACT, 1993 (as amended)

To
2 (A) Mr. B.S.Gowda, Aged 44 Years S/o Bolegowda **(Defendant No.1)**
2(B) Mr. Shiva Shankara, Aged 40 Years, S/o Bolegowda (Proposed) Both Residing at: 122, Maregowdana Doddi Village. Kanakapura Taluk, Bengaluru Rural Dt: (Proposed as Defendant No. 2(A) & 2(B) Due To Demise of Smt.Jayamma (Since Deceased) as Legal heirs of **Defendant No.2).**

Whereas the Applicant has instituted an Application Under Section 19 of the Recovery of Debts and Bankruptcy Act, 1993 (as amended), against the Defendants for a sum of **Rs.34,63,715/-** as mentioned in the Original Application together with current and future interest and for other reliefs, and on death of Defendant No.2 filed the IA for impleading the legal heirs as above. You are hereby requested to show cause within 30 days of the publication of Summons/notice or **on 17-05-2024 at 10.30 a.m.** in person or by a Pleader/ Advocate duly instructed as to why the relief prayed for should not be granted. Take notice that in case of default, the application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal on this **12th day of February, 2024.**

By order of the Tribunal
Sd/- Registrar
Debts Recovery Tribunal-2
Bengaluru-560001

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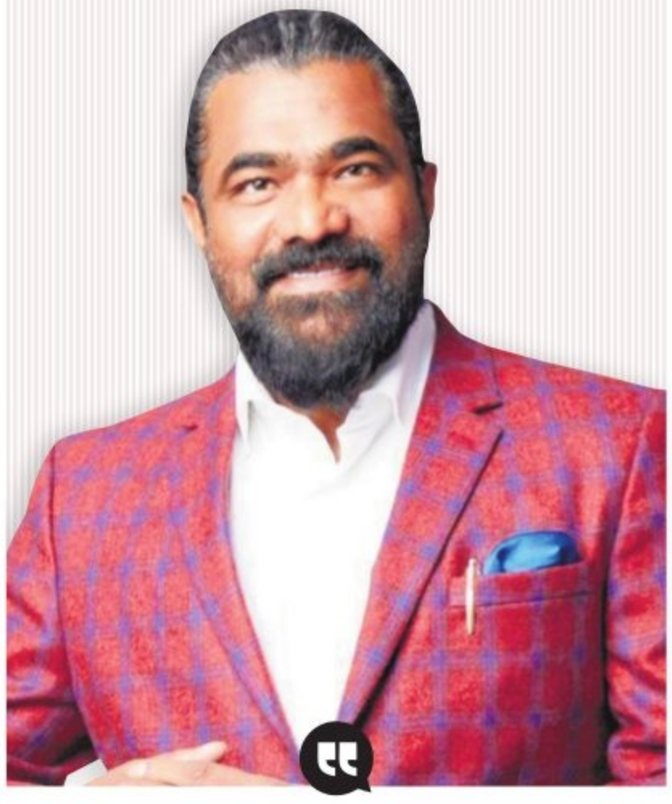
'OUR FOCUS WILL BE DELHI-NCR MARKET IN FY25'

There are good tractions across the cities, be it middle or luxury segment



Beyond National Capital Region and our home turf Bengaluru, I see big opportunities to grow in Hyderabad, Mumbai and Pune

BENGALURU-BASED Prestige Group is on an expansion spree. After becoming a formidable force in the software capital of India, the realty major has established itself in Hyderabad and Mumbai. Prestige is now eying the northern region to become a true pan-India realty company. "In the financial year 2024-2025, our full focus will be on the Delhi-NCR market. We will have our presence in Noida, Gurugram and New Delhi," **Venkat K Narayana**, CEO of Prestige Group, told in an interview with **Arshad Khan** of this newspaper. He also spoke about demand in the housing sector, entry into the Delhi-National Capital Region (NCR) market, sales projection and more. Edited excerpts-

Housing sales hit a new peak in calendar year 2024 and Prestige posted robust numbers. How is demand and growth looking from such a high base?

We are doing well but there is so much more to do with the kind of demand we are seeing, especially when there is a shift towards the middle and upper-middle segments. There are good tractions across all the cities and segments, be it middle, upper middle, premium or luxury. We see interest rate start tapering down a little more after the general elections. This will further push the sales.

In CY22, when housing sales in top 7 cities stood at 3.6 lakh units, everyone said the industry had peaked and demand would consolidate. However, sales grew 31% year-on-year to 4.76 lakh units in CY23. I feel two things are happening in the industry, one, it is growing, and secondly some developers growing. Sometimes demand can be where it is but the share of good developers can grow within that.

Bengaluru's share in your sales mix was 59% in FY23, followed by Mumbai and Hyderabad. Do you see this mix changing following your aggressive expansion beyond Bengaluru?

The mix of each city in our sales component is driven by what kind of launches are taking place within the particular fiscal.

This fiscal, we will have the second-highest contribution coming from Hyderabad because we had a big launch there. Number 1 will of course remain Bengaluru. In FY25, we will have a large contribution coming from NCR.

Currently, we have no presence in residential space in NCR but we have a lot of projects in the pipeline. Our entry into the Mumbai market has been very recent, so we are not yet operating at the micro markets at an optimum level. There is so much room to grow here.

What makes you so bullish about the NCR market given the region has strong players such as DLF and Godrej Properties?

The NCR market is doing well. Of course, DLF has a strong presence as it is their home turf. Beyond that, I feel there is room for other players to be present and offer their products.

We have one project going on in Aerocity (New Delhi) which is a hotel-cum-office. In Noida, we have a project planned and in Gurugram we have identified land. So far, we have signed one, constructing one and more are in the diligence stage. We tend to close them soon. We hope that this market also works out well for us like the way Mumbai worked out.

So your quest is to have a pan-India presence?

It is very easy in terms of processes to go to the different cities, implement them and be a differentiator. With the kind of team we have built and the relationship we have, our growth has always been a collaborative approach. There are a lot of developers who are in stress. We co-partner with them so their lands become projects.

Beyond NCR and our home turf Bengaluru, I see big opportunities to grow in Hyderabad, Mumbai and Pune. Of the overall 4.76 lakh residential units sold in CY24, half of them have come from Mumbai-Pune region. In Pune, we have identified land and now we are in the due diligence stage.

Sales-wise, how you are looking to close FY24? Also, you had one of the highest debt levels among realty players. Is it a matter of concern? (Net Debt as of December 31, 2024: ₹6,980 crore)

We achieved the highest-ever nine-month sales in FY24 at ₹16,333 crore, a growth of 81% YoY. Our 9M collection was the highest ever at ₹8,478 crore. If we maintain, we will close the FY24 with ₹20,000 crore sales. Our debt should not be compared with realtors who operate in only residential segment. Our residential debt is nothing. Our debt is coming from offices and hotels. You can compare us with players who operate in this space. In fact, we can say our debt is one of the lowest given the work we are doing.

It seems real estate sector is in a consolidation phase. Do you expect Grade A developers' share to cross 50% mark in the coming years?

The regulatory norms such as RERA and situations like demonetisation added to the consolidation process. It will take couple of years to fully ensure all the developers are trustworthy, efficient and well-governed. Grade A developers' share has grown to 35% from 16-17% earlier in the top 7 cities. I am sure this share will move to 50-60% in the next 3-4 years.

NEWSCOPE

DIGITAL MEDIA THREATENED BY A SLEW OF NEW REGULATIONS

GURBIR SINGH

THE latest outburst of 'X' (formerly Twitter) against orders by the Union Ministry of Information & Broadcasting (MIB) to remove a slew of accounts and posts, once again reveals the dangerous road of censorship the government is treading. Digital media was one ray of hope, one platform which provides an 'open' source of news and views. Unfortunately, that hope seems to be going up in smoke.

A little over a week ago, 'X' on its Global Government Affairs feed, complained that it had got 'orders' from the Union government to take down certain accounts and posts, most of them related to the farmers agitation; and it said it was doing so for fear of 'fines and imprisonment'.

"In compliance with these orders, we will withhold these accounts and posts in India alone; however, we disagree with these actions and maintain that freedom of expression should extend to these posts," X said on its feed. The government has not responded to X's charges.

X has had a long history of run-ins with the government, and it has chosen to come out in the open. Others haven't.

Creeping censorship

Over time, the main platforms of news communication have been compromised to extreme regulation. Newspapers – the legacy media with rich roots in India, and with as many as 4 lakh registered titles – have slowly fallen in line. Formal control is exercised through the Press & Registration of Books Act, 1867 wherein the license to publish can be withdrawn anytime.

Besides formal control, thousands of publications rely on advertising revenue from government bodies. Though there is supposed to be no quid pro quo, the control over advertising revenue is a huge lever to temper criticism and ensure a 'friendly' editorial line.

Broadcasting – radio and television – too are under strict government control through the three-decade old Cable Television Network (Regulation) Act 1995. Licenses to news channels have dried up and the MIB has wielded limitless power by being the judge of what is 'acceptable' content. The recent gag orders on the Marathi 'Lokshahi' channel on technical grounds is a case in point. The channel was off air for nearly a month, and it was only after the Delhi High Court's stay against the MIB order, was Lokshahi' able to begin operations again.

In this scenario, it is digital communication platforms that have saved the day. Thousands of YouTube channels in Uttar Pradesh have replaced the bland and pro-establishment mainline media. The grey area of regulating digital, internet-based platforms, also called over-the-top (OTT) platforms have allowed new digital networks to set up quickly and prosper. 'Lalantop', an internet news service, garnered millions of eyeballs for its detailed and sympathetic coverage of the farmers agitation in 2020.

SOURAV ROY

But Big Brother is not happy. The rash of experimental OTT channels and the ramped up streaming technology is being viewed with extreme suspicion.

New laws

Last November, the MIB initiated the Broadcasting Services Regulation Bill, 2023, which will replace the older Cable Television Networks (Regulation) Act, 1995. The aim is to broaden the MIB's regulatory framework by including over-the-top (OTT) and digital news platforms.

The new act will set up a Content Evaluation Committee (CEC) which will work akin to an internal censor board made up of government and non-industry persons. The programme code can be used to ban content that 'offends against good taste or decency'. It is now applicable to TV channels, and can be extended to OTT and digital news networks as well.

The government has also strengthened its control over digital media by adding provisions under the Information Technology (Intermediary Guidelines and Digital Media Ethics Code) Rules 2021. Amending the Rules in April last year, it has made intermediate platforms like Face Book, Twitter etc responsible for ensuring that no information is uploaded or transmitted that is 'identified as fake or false or misleading by [a] fact check unit of the Central Government', in respect of 'any business of' the Union government.

What is 'fake' or 'false' is subjective, and if government committees begin to determine and ban news content on what they consider 'fake' or 'false' then out goes Article 19(1) (a) – the right to freedom of speech and expression.

The third arm of control – through the Digital Personal Data Protection Act (DPDPA) promulgated in August last year – has the laudatory purpose of guarding the privacy of personal digital data. However, for journalism and news it has serious gag implications.

The big stumbling block is the requirement of 'consent' when using digital data. Collection of news and investigation would involve collating and transmitting such digital data. However, if 'formal consent' from the 'data principal' (individual) has not been taken, the 'fiduciary' – the organization or platform transmitting the data – would be liable for penalties that could extend to fines up to Rs 250 crore.

The Justice B N Srikrishna Committee that examined the provisions of the Data Protection Bill at an earlier stage, held that free communication could be crippled if the individual withheld consent. The Committee suggested that journalism and news networks should be an 'exempted category; but this advice was ignored.

As it is, India has sunk to Rank No.161 out of 180 countries in the Press Freedom Index 2023 compiled by Reporters Without Borders (RSF) – a fall of 11 notches from 150th position in 2022. With the series of legal pincer moves, the last frontier of free news dissemination – digital media – will now be under serious threat.

Business & Beyond

Bridge And Roof Company celebrated Annual Sports Day

With the initiative of respected Chairman and MD Rajesh Kumar Singh, the Annual Sports Day of Bridge And Roof Company (India) Limited was celebrated on 24th February, 2024 at Sailen Manna Stadium, Howrah. The program was inaugurated by Ravi Kumar, Director (Project Management) and Nav Ratan Gupta, Director (Finance). They addressed the participants and family members of the employees and explained about the importance of sports in life and motivated and wished them luck for participation in all sporting events. Several sports programs were organized for the Company's employees and their family members including children of all ages. Events were also organised for especially abled persons.

Jindal Steel & Power receives Social Impact Award 2024 for Sports Welfare Initiatives

Steelmaker Jindal Steel & Power (JSP) has been recognised with the prestigious Social Impact Award 2024 in category of Best Sports Welfare Initiative of the Year. Sandeep Malhotra, IPS, ACP Cyber Cell, Crime Branch, Delhi, presented the award last week. On behalf of JSP, Group Chief Digital Officer Indradyumna Datta received the honour. Inspired by its Chairman Naveen Jindal, JSP under its Social Arm, the JSP Foundation, has taken several steps in promoting sports initiatives to empower youths.

JSW Steel Ltd (Odisha Mines Division) bagged multiple awards in MEMC event

Bhubaneswar: JSW Steel Ltd (Odisha Mines Division) has won multiple prestigious awards in different categories during the final day function and award ceremony of the 25th Mines Environment and Mineral Conservation Week 2023-24. The MEMC event was held under the aegis of the Indian Bureau of Mines (IBM), Bhubaneswar. JSW's four mines received five awards for their performances in different categories of the mining fields.

Bajaj Auto Unveils 2024 Editions of Pulsar NS series With All-New Digital Consoles & LED Headlamps

Pune: Bajaj Auto, the world's most valuable two-wheeler and three-wheeler company, re-launched the variants of its Naked Sports motorcycle range – Pulsar NS 2024 series, NS200, NS160 and NS125. These latest variants, embody the spirit of innovation and performance, marking a major leap forward in the evolution of the iconic Naked Sports series. Building upon the success of their predecessors, the 2024 editions of the Pulsar NS Series have been expertly engineered to deliver an unmatched riding experience.

Vedanta Aluminium organises grand consecration ceremony of Shri Jagannath temple in Lanjigarh

Lanjigarh: Vedanta Limited, Lanjigarh, India's premier producer of metallurgical grade alumina and a part of Vedanta Aluminium,recently organised the 'Mandir Pratishtha Mahotsav' or the grand consecration ceremony of the Shri Jagannath temple in Lanjigarh. The temple is a close replica of the Shri Jagannath Temple of Puri, an important pilgrimage site in India and an indeliblepart of Odisha's cultural fabric. The temple features a vimana, jagmohana, and rekha (spire above the sanctum).

Byju's fails to pay salary as funds stuck in escrow account

UMA KANNAN @ Bengaluru

EDTECH company Byju's has delayed February salaries for over 20,000 employees, blaming four investors who had approached the National Company Law Tribunal (NCLT) against the edtech firm.

Since the NCLT directed the firm to keep funds received from the rights issue in a separate escrow account, the company said it would not be able to use the funds to pay salaries. Byju's said it is ensuring salaries are paid by March 10. For past two-three months, the firm is struggling to pay salaries, and last month employees were told through $200 million rights issue it would raise money and make payments.

In a letter to employees, founder and CEO Byju Raveendran said the rights issue has been successfully closed and this was supposed to be a happy correspondence.

"After all, we now have funds to meet our short-term needs and clear our liabilities. However, I regret to inform you that we will still be unable to process your salaries. Last month, we faced challenges due to a lack of capital, and now we are experiencing a delay despite having funds," he said. He also added that four out of over 150 investors have "stooped to a heartless level, ensuring that we are unable to utilize the funds raised to pay your hard-earned salaries".

"It is an agonising reality that some of these investors have reaped substantial profits – in fact, one of them has made a staggering eight times their initial investment in Byju's. And yet, their actions convey a callous disregard for our lives and livelihoods," he said.

Google starts restoring Indian app developers it delisted on March 1

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

A day after Google removed 10 Indian app developers from its Play Store over non-payment of service fees, it has started restoring some of the apps. Sources in Google told TNIE only those developers who have agreed to comply with Android's billing options have been allowed to resubmit their apps.

As per sources, most of the app developers have opted to operate on Consumption-only basis without paying any service fee. Under the consumption-only model, any developer could allow a user of their app to access content that they paid for outside the app. Meanwhile, the Electronics and Information Technology Ministry said the decision was made after the intervention of Minister Ashwini Vaishnaw. Vaishnaw convened both the American tech giant and app developers, asking them to resolve the issue. He said that this kind of delisting cannot be allowed.

"I have called Google... I have already called the app developers who have been delisted, and we will be meeting them next week. This can't be permitted. This kind of delisting can't be permitted," said Vaishnaw. He said India's policy is very clear, and its startups will receive the protection they need.

On Friday, March 1, Google announced it had delisted Shaadi, Matrimony.com, Bharat Matrimony, Altt (formerly ALTBalaji), audio platform Kuku FM, dating service Quack Quack, and others from its platform. The firm reasoned that these 10 firms had avoided paying fees despite benefiting from the platform and Play Store, and proceeded to delist some apps. However, it didn't name the firms, and a search of Play Store on Android phones didn't yield any results.

The dispute centers around Google imposing a fee of 11% to 26% on in-app payments after the anti-competition body CCI ordered scrapping of an earlier system of charging 15% to 30%. Google went ahead with removing the apps without paying the fee after the Supreme Court didn't provide interim relief to the firms behind these apps in their battle against the search giant's app marketplace fee.

FUND TRANSFER

NEFT processes record single-day transactions

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

THE National Electronic Funds Transfer (NEFT) system achieved a milestone on February 29, 2024, by processing 4.10 crore transactions, the highest number of transactions processed in a day so far.

The NEFT system and Real Time Gross Settlement (RTGS) system are being managed by the Reserve Bank of India to settle the retail and wholesale payments, respectively.

According to an RBI statement, an important landmark was reached in the journey of these systems with NEFT and RTGS functioning on a 24x7x365 basis from December 16, 2019, and December 14, 2020, respectively. During the previous ten years (2014-23), NEFT and RTGS systems have registered growth of 700% and 200% respectively in terms of volume and 670% and 104% respectively in terms of value. RTGS system had processed its highest ever volume of 16.25 lakh transactions in a day on 31 March 2023.

While NEFT transactions happen between two banks within a given schedule, transfers under RTGS can take place on a real time basis.

Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike
Office of the Executive Engineer, Chickpet Division
8th Main, 2nd Block, Jayanagar, Kanakanapalya, Bengaluru-560 011.

No. EE/CKP/E-PROC/2023-24 Date: 29.02.2024

INVITATION FOR SHORT TERM TENDER (KW-3)
(Two Cover System), (Through GOK Kpp Portal)
website: https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in only

The Executive Engineer, (Chickpet Division), BBMP Bengaluru, invites tenders from eligible Contractors registered in BBMP or equivalent registration with CPWD/KPWD/Railways/MES/National Highway or any State Government Organisations for the construction of work detailed in the table below.

Sl. No.	Name of the work / Category
1.	Repair and Renovation of City Cattle Pound, Usmaankhan Road (Animal Husbandry) **(Others).** **Approx. Amount put to tender (₹. in Lakhs): 100.00, EMD (in ₹) 2,00,000/-**

Calendar of Events: (1) Pre bid meeting will be held on **05.03.2024 at 3:00 p.m. (2)** Last Date for uploading the Filled Tender document is **12.03.2024 upto 4:00 p.m. (3)** Technical bid opening on **13.03.2024 at 4:30 p.m. (4)** Financial bid Opening will be after the approval of Technical bid.

Sd/- Executive Engineer, Chickpet Division, BBMP.

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ONLINE E AUCTION SALE OF ASSET
KOTAK MAHINDRA BANK LIMITED
REGISTERED OFFICE: 27 BKC, C 27, G-BLOCK, BANDRA KURLA COMPLEX, BANDRA (E) MUMBAI, MAHARASHTRA, PIN CODE-400 051
BRANCH OFFICE:- KOTAK MAHINDRA BANK LTD KOTAK HOUSE, 1ST FLOOR, NO. 22, M.G. ROAD, BANGALORE.

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE ASSETS UNDER THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002 UNDER RULE 8(5) READ WITH PROVISO TO RULE 8 (6) OF THE SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULE, 2002.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE PUBLIC IN GENERAL AND IN PARTICULAR TO THE BORROWER (S) AND GUARANTOR (S) THAT THE BELOW DESCRIBED IMMOVABLE PROPERTY MORTGAGED/CHARGED TO THE SECURED CREDITOR, THE POSSESSION OF WHICH HAS BEEN TAKEN BY THE AUTHORISED OFFICER OF PNB HOUSING FINANCE LIMITED (HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS "PNBHFL") ON **16.05.2019** , AND PURSUANT TO THE ASSIGNMENT OF DEBT IN FAVOUR OF KOTAK MAHINDRA BANK LIMITED BY " PNBHFL ", THE PROPERTY WILL BE SOLD ON "AS IS WHERE IS", "AS IS WHAT IS", AND "WHATEVER THERE IS" BASIS ON 11.04.2024 **BETWEEN 12:00 PM TO 01:00 PM WITH UNLIMITED EXTENSION OF 5 MINUTES,** FOR RECOVERY OF RS.1,05,11,675.62/- (RUPEES ONE CRORE FIVE LAKHS ELEVEN THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED SEVENTY FIVE AND SIXTY TWO PAISE ONLY) AS OF 27.11.2018 ALONG WITH FUTURE INTEREST APPLICABLE FROM 28.11.2018 UNTIL PAYMENT IN FULL **WITH COST AND CHARGESUNDER THE LOAN ACCOUNT NO.**HOU/MLS/0617/398407, DUE TO **KMBL**, SECURED CREDITOR **FROM MRS.NAGARATNA B V, MR. K GOVINDARAJU.**THE RESERVE PRICE WILL BE RS. 1,05,00,000/- (RUPEES ONE CRORE FIVE LAKH ONLY) AND THE EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT WILL BE RS. 10,50,000/- (RUPEES TEN LAKH FIFTY THOUSANDONLY)**&**LAST DATE OF SUBMISSION OF EMD WITH KYC IS 10.04.2024 UP TO 6:00 P.M. (IST.)**PROPERTY DESCRIPTION -FLAT BEARING NO.402, ON 4TH FLOOR, TYPE-4, IN "E-BLOCK", MEASURING ABOUT 2050 SQ.FT, CONTAINING THREE BED ROOMS IN "N.D. PASSION ELITE APARTMENT", TOGETHER WITH RCC ROOFING, VITRIFIED FLOORING TOGETHER WITH ONE COVERED CAR PARKING SPACE, INCLUDING PROPORTIONATE SHARE IN COMMON AREAS SUCH AS PASSAGES, LOBBIES, STAIRCASE, ETC., IN THE MULTISTORIED RESIDENTIAL BUILDING KNOWN AS "N.D. PASSION ELITE" ALONGWITH636 SQ.FEET UNDIVIDED RIGHT, TITLE AND INTEREST ("SECURED ASSET") IN THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTYCONSTRUCTED OVER SCHEDULE "A" PROPERTY MENTIONED HEREINBELOW:SCHEDULE" A" PROPERTY:** (DESCRIPTION OF THE ENTIRE PROPERTY ON WHICH THE APARTMENT BUILDING IS CONSTRUCTED). ALL THAT PIECE AND PARCEL OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY COMPRISING 3 ITEMS OF CONVERTED LAND, (CONVERTED FROM AGRICULTURAL USE TO NON-AGRICULTURAL RESIDENTIAL PURPOSE VIDE ORDER NO.ALN-[ASH]-SR-210/2010-11 DATED 29-03-2011, PASSED BY THE SPL. DEPUTY COMMISSIONER (REV.), BANGALORE DIST.) FORMING A CONTIGUOUS PLOT, SITUATED IN KUDLU VILLAGE, SARJAPURA HOBLI, ANEKAL TALUK, TOTALLY MEASURING 2 ACRES 33 GUNTAS, AS DESCRIBED IN THE ITEM NO.1, 2 & 3 HEREUNDER:ITEM NO.1:ALL THAT PIECE AND PARCEL OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY COMPRISING IN CONVERTED LAND BEARING SY.NO.87/1 OF KUDLU VILLAGE, SARJAPURA HOBLI, ANEKAL TALUK, MEASURING 01 ACRE 16 GUNTAS; AND BOUNDED ON:EAST BY: LAND IN SY.NO.88/1, WEST BY:ROAD, NORTH BY :ROAD, SOUTH BY: LAND IN SY.NO.87/2 & 88/2 ITEM NO.2:ALL THAT PIECE AND PARCEL OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY COMPRISING IN CONVERTED LAND BEARING SY NO.87/2 OF KUDLU VILLAGE, SARJAPURA HOBLI, ANEKAL TALUK, MEASURING 39 GUNTAS; AND BOUNDED ON:EAST BY:LAND IN SY.NO.88/2, WEST BY:ROAD, NORTH BY:LAND IN SY.NO.87/1, SOUTH BY:LAND BELONGED TO DODDAMANE ABBAIAH, ITEM NO.3:ALL THAT PIECE AND PARCEL OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY COMPRISING IN CONVERTED LAND BEARING SY NO.88/2 OF KUDLU VILLAGE, SARJAPURA HOBLI, ANEKAL TALUK, MEASURING 18 GUNTAS; AND BOUNDED ON:EAST BY:PORTION OF SAME SY.NO.ALLOTTED TO NAGARAJA REDDY, WEST BY: LAND IN SY.NO.87/2;NORTH BY LAND IN SY.NO.87/2; SOUTH BY:DODDAMANE ABBAIAH'S PROPERTY IN SY.NO.86/1;SCHEDULE-A (a) - PROPERTY

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY ON WHICH THE CLUB HOUSE & COMMERCIAL SPACE OF THE (APARTMENT COMPLEX IS SITUATED)ALL THAT PIECE AND PARCEL OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY BEING THE PORTION OF LAND MEASURING 1,23,057 SQ.FT. OUT OF THE ENTIRE PROJECT LAND COMPRISING IN ITEM NO.1 TO 3 OF SCHEDULE-A PROPERTY HEREIN ABOVE, VIZ., (1) SY.NO.87/1 MEASURING 1 ACRE 16 GUNTAS, (II) SY.NO.87/2 MEASURING 39 GUNTAS, (III) SY.NO.88/2 MEASURING 18 GUNTAS, SITUATED IN KUDLU VILLAGE, SARJAPURA HOBLI, ANEKAL TALUK, (TOTALLY MEASURING 2 ACRES 33 GUNTAS OR 1,23,057 SQ.FT.), BEING THE LAND APPURTENANT TO THE CLUB HOUSE AND COMMERCIAL BUILDING WHICH IS AS MARKED IN THE BUILDING PLAN APPROVED BY THE BRUHAT BANGALORE MAHANAGARA PALIKE VIDE NO.J.D.T.P/S/LP/59/2010-11, ALONGWITH ALL RIGHTS OF WAY, WATER, LIGHT, ELECTRICITY, DRAINAGE, EASEMENTARY AND OTHER RIGHTS AND APPURTENANCES ATTACHED THERETO.THE BORROWER'S ATTENTION IS INVITED TO THE PROVISIONS OF SUB SECTION 8 OF SECTION 13, OF THE SARFAESI ACT, IN RESPECT OF THE TIME AVAILABLE, TO REDEEM THE SECURED ASSET.PUBLIC IN GENERAL AND BORROWERS IN PARTICULAR PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT IF IN CASE AUCTION SCHEDULED HEREIN FAILS FOR ANY REASON WHATSOEVER THEN SECURED CREDITOR MAY ENFORCE SECURITY INTEREST BY WAY OF SALE THROUGH PUBLIC E-AUCTION, AT THE DISCRETION OF THE SECURED CREDITOR.IN CASE OF ANY CLARIFICATION/REQUIREMENT REGARDING ASSETS UNDER SALE, BIDDER MAY CONTACTTO **MR. MURALI MR (+91 9900448628) (+91-8152219751)& MR. VIJAYKUMAR MENON (+91 9940572248)**FOR DETAILED TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE SALE, PLEASE REFER TO THE LINK **HTTPS://WWW.KOTAK.COM/EN/BANK-AUCTIONS.HTML**PROVIDED IN KOTAK MAHINDRA BANK WEBSITE I.E. WWW.KOTAK.COMAND/OR ON **HTTPS://BANKAUCTIONS.IN/**

PLACE:BANGALORE DATE: 02.03.24 AUTHORIZED OFFICER KOTAK MAHINDRA BANKLIMITED

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby informed that our clients have negotiated and finalised to purchase the below mentioned Schedule Property from its present Owner **Sri. GIRDHARI LAL RUNGTA,** Son of Late Mathura Prasad Rungta, presently residing at Flat No.703, Building C2, L&T South City, Arekere Mico Layout, Bannerghatta Road, Bengaluru – 560 076. The Owner make averments that he has acquired the Schedule Property from his previous vendor Sri. B.M.Mahesh, son of Sri. Mallaiah, interms of Sale Deed dated 01/02/2010, registered as document No.BMH-1-06313/2009-10 and stored in C.D.No.BMHD398, in the Office of the Sub-Registrar, Bommanahalli, Bangalore. That apart, there are no other person/s, any financial institutions or etc., has/have any rights other than the present owner and this notice is given to those concerned, that should they have any pre-existing rights, objections or claim of any nature over the Schedule Property or any part thereof, they are requested to lodge their written objections/claims with necessary documentary proof to the undersigned within **FIFTEEN DAYS** from the date of publication. If no objections or claims along with proof are forthcoming within the said period, our clients shall construe that the Schedule Property is free from encumbrances, claims or hold and any subsequent objection/claims raised thereafter, shall not be considered and same shall not be held responsible by our clients and shall go ahead with purchase of the Schedule Property from present owner.

:SCHEDULE PROPERTY:

All that Vacant Site bearing No.9, bearing B.B.M.P. Municipal New No.327/321/280/131/5-9 (Old Khata No.271, previously CMC Khata No.280/9), formed in a Private Layout carved out of Sy.No.107, situated at Arakere Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, presently within the jurisdiction of B.B.M.P. Ward No.193-Arakere, Bengaluru. The Site/Land measuring East-to-West: (63 + 60) / 2 Feet and North-to-South: 50 Feet, in all measuring about 3,075 Square Feet and bounded by:

East : Property bearing No.20; West : Road;
North : Property bearing No.10; and South : Property bearing No.8.

S.R.BALASUBRAMANYAM & S.KEERTHIKAR,
Advocates,
No.216, 4th Main Road, 3rd Phase, J.P.Nagar,
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Place: Bengaluru
Dated: 02/03/2024

STATE BANK OF INDIA
RACPC, HSR LAYOUT, #241, 19th Main Road,
4th Sector, HSR Layout, Bangalore 560 102
Phone No. 9972361099, Email Id : racpc.hsr@sbi.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE

Under Rule - 8 (1) (For immovable property)

A/c. No.: INICIO/ 62385897555/62435923490

WHEREAS, The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the State Bank of India, under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 (No. 3 of 2002) issued a Demand Notice dated19.12.2023 calling upon the borrower **Shri Fayaz Ahmed** S/o Abdul Wajid residing at No.96, Ground Floor, Makan Road Shivajinagar, Bangalore-560001, also at No. F-1 19th Cross, Giddappa Block, Sagayapuram, Bangalore-560005 also at House No. 107, Old Madras Road OPH Road Cross, Shivajinagar Bangalore 560001 And **Sri.Md. Ajaj Ahmed** S/o Abdul Wajid, No.22/1, Second Flore, 3rd Main , 1st Cross Kushal Nagar, Bangalore-560045 also at No.28,4th Main, Mecca Masjid Road Venkateshpuram, Bangalore-560045, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.11,73,743.00** (Rupees Eleven lacs seventy three thousand seven hundred forty three only) as on 18.12.2023 and interest & expenses thereonwithin 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower/guarantor has failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower/guarantor and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the Property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under section13 (4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 and 9 of the said rules **on 01.03.2024.**

The borrower/guarantor in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the State Bank of India for an aggregate amount of being **Rs 11,73,743.00** (Rupees Eleven lacs seventy three thousand seven hundred forty three only) as on 18.12.2023 and interest plus expenses thereon.

The borrower's / guarantor's/ mortgagor's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the immovable House Property bearing old No.1 now bearing New katha No.17/1,earlier Katha No.17, situated at 19th Cross Road , Sagayapuram, Bangalore, earlier falling in 48th Division, Bangalore, now falling within the folds of BBMP ward No.90,and assigned new PID No.90-28-17/1, Bangalore and measuring on East 30. ¾ feet or 9.37 mts, on the West 30. ¾ feet or 9.37 mts, on the North 13. ½ feet or 4.11 mts and on the south 13. ½ feet or 4.11 mts totally measuring 416 Sq ft or 38.51 Sq mts with Mangalore tiled House,mud with bricks walls mud plastered flooring with all Civic amenities, in the name of Sri.Fayaz Ahmed and Sri.Md.Azaz Ahmed and the same is bounded on the : East by: Property No.2, West by: Passage, North by:Private Property and South by:Road

Sd/- Authorised Officer
State Bank of India,
RACPC HSR Layout Bengaluru.

Place:Bengaluru
Date: 01.03.2024

THE KARUR VYSYA BANK LTD
Karur Vysya Bank — Smart way to bank
ASSET RECOVERY BRANCH
Divisional Office Building, No.6, Shri Vasavi Temple Road, Near Sajjan Rao Circle, V V Puram, Bangalore - 560004

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/ charged to the Secured Creditor, **The Karur Vysya Bank Ltd,** the constructive/ physical (whichever is applicable) possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **The Karur Vysya Bank Ltd.,** Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** on **20.03.2024,** for recovery of **Rs.38,31,190.04** (Rupees Thirty Eight Lakhs Thirty One Thousand One Hundred Ninety and Four Paisa only) due to **"The Karur Vysya Bank Ltd"**, Secured Creditor from **Mr. S Ravi Chandra,** S/o. Srinivas No.85, Ward No.6, Pulikeshi Road, Anekal, Bangalore-562106. The reserve price Schedule-A Property is **Rs. 29,00,000/- (Rupees Twenty Nine lakhs only) and the earnest money deposit will be Rs. 2,90,000/- (Rupees Two Lakhs Ninety Thousand only).**

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

Schedule A : All that piece and parcel of Residential Apartment bearing No.403 4th floor in Block No.22, Gram Panchayat E- Khatha No. 150200101300720409 having a of super built up area of 756 Sq.ft in the Residential Apartment known as " VBHC VAIBHAVA" together with 357 Sq.ft of Undivided share in the property situated at Byagadadenahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore and is bounded on: East by: Road, West by: Flat No.404, North By: Flat No. 402, South By: Road.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in our Bank's/ Secured Creditor's website i.e **www.kvb.co.in/Property** Under Auction also at the web portal **BankAuctions.in/ForeclosureIndia.com** of the service provider, **M/s. 4 closure.**

Statutory 30 Days' Notice under Rule 8(6) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002

The borrower/s and guarantor/s are hereby notified to pay the dues as mentioned above along with up to date interest and ancillary expenses before the date of e-Auction, failing which the Schedule property will be auctioned/sold and balance dues, if any, will be recovered with interest and cost.

Date : 02.03.2024 **Sd/- Authorized Officer**
Place: Bangalore **THE KARUR VYSYA BANK LIMITED**

SOUTHERN RAILWAY
TRIVANDRUM DIVISION **(WORKS BRANCH)**

E-TENDER NOTICE No. V / W / TVC / 4 / 2024
Dated: 01.03.2024

For and on behalf of the President of India the Divisional Railway Manager / Works Branch / Trivandrum Division, Trivandrum-14, invites ONLINE tenders for the following works as per tender notice and Complete details are given in our e-tender portal **www.ireps.gov.in.**

Sl. No.	Description	Approx. Value ₹ in lakh	Earnest Money Deposit ₹	Period of Completion in Months
1	DRM Office complex: Improvements of S&T office at S&T / Railtel building	20.44	40900	EIGHT
2	Construction of accommodation for Traction Energy Management system at fourth floor of DRM Office	41.16	82300	EIGHT
3	Improvements to Electrical section of Divisional Office	111.48	205800	TEN
4	Improvements to Commercial section of Divisional Office.	110.28	205200	TEN
5	KPY-Improvements to parking area, circulating area, station approach road tarring and allied works	173.21	236600	SIX
6	PVRD P.Way section - ERC greasing, boxing of ballast, painting of rails & other maintenance works in P.Way to eliminate deficiencies in track	114.37	207200	TWELVE
7	Sr.DEN/North Jurisdiction - Increasing Transition Length of curves in connection with increasing section speed to 110/90 kmph. - track works	568.63	434300	TWELVE
8	TVC: Maintenance and Improvements to service buildings in SSE/W/TVC Section	165.12	232600	TWELVE
9	ADEN TCR Jurisdiction : Renovation of SSE/Pway office at - WKI, TCR, PUK	82.50	165000	TWELVE
10	TVC Division - Proposed Replacement of exg. steel girders of Br. No. 327 in NCJ-TEN section with RCC slabs - Balance work	178.62	239300	SIX
Tender Closing date and time: Sl No.: 1 to 10 : 22.03.2024 at 11.00 hrs				

Note: It is the responsibility of the tenderer to check any Corrigendum issued for any correction or modifications uploaded subsequently in website; the same shall be taken into account while submitting.

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KARNATAKA HOUSING BOARD
3rd Floor, Cauvery Bhavan, K.G. Road, Bengaluru – 560 009.

Tender Notification

Karnataka Housing Board invites tender from the eligible Pre qualified contractors in Karnataka Housing Board through Karnataka public procurement portal for below mentioned work.
Last date for submission of bid: 16.03.2024 up to 4:00 p.m.

Name of the Work : Annual Layout maintenance of Suryanagara Phase-3 for Block, 1,4 & 5 at Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru for the year of 2024-25 Tender Reference No. : KHB/2023-24/OW/WORK_INDENT25 & IFT No.202/2023-24 Date: 02.03.2024, Amount Put to Tender in Rs. 1,26,64,689/-.

For further information, contact below mentioned office address: Executive Engineer, Karnataka Housing Board, Cauvery Bhavan, Bengaluru,

Telephone No. 080-22273511/080-22100077 website: https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in

Sd/-
Executive Engineer,
DIPR/CP/RO4038/AAPL/2023-24 **Karnataka Housing Board, Bengaluru.**

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED
(CIN: U40109KA1999SGC025521)

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Through Karnataka Public Procurement Portal Only)

KPTCL invites bids vide the below mentioned Bid Enquiry Nos.

No. SEE/T(W&M)/EEE(O)/AEE-1/MYS/23-24/6070-74 Date: 02.03.2024

1) Bid Enquiry No. KPTCL/SEE/EEE(O)/AEE-1/T(W&M)/MYS/2023-24/REPL/01 Replacement of 1x12.5MVA, 66/11KV Power Transformer by 1x20MVA, 66/11KV Power Transformer at 66/11KV K.M. Doddi Sub-Station in Maddur Taluk and Mandya District on PTK Basis.

2) Bid Enquiry No. KPTCL/SEE/EEE(O)/AEE-1/T(W&M)/MYS/2023-24/REPL/02 Replacement of 1x18MVA, 66/11KV Power Transformer by 1x12.5MVA, 66/11KV Power Transformer at 66/11KV Besagarahally Sub-Station in Maddur Taluk and Mandya District on PTK Basis.

3) Bid Enquiry No. KPTCL/SEE/EEE(O)/AEE-1/T(W&M)/MYS/2023-24/REPL/03 Replacement of 1x6.3MVA by 1x12.5MVA, 66/11KV Power Transformer at existing **Tubinakere** 220/66/11KV Sub-Station in Mandya Taluk, Mandya District on PTK Basis. **(Reserved for ST Category).**

4) Bid Enquiry No. KPTCL/SEE/EEE(O)/AEE-1/T(W&M)/MYS/2023-24/REPL/04 Replacement of 1st 1x12.5MVA, 66/11KV Power Transformer by 1x20MVA, 66/11KV Power Transformer by 1x20MVA, 66/11KV Power Transformer at 66/11KV Koppa Sub-Station in Maddur Taluk and Mandya District on PTK Basis.

5) Bid Enquiry No. KPTCL/SEE/EEE(O)/AEE-1/T(W&M)/MYS/2023-24/REPL/05 Replacement of 1x6.3MVA and 1x8MVA, 66/11KV Power Trransformer by 2x12.5MVA, 66/11KV Power Transformer at 66/11KV Halaguru Sub-Station in Malavalli Taluk Mandya District on PTK Basis.

No. SEE/(W&M)/EEE(O)/AEE-1/MYS/23-24/6079-83 Date: 02.03.2024

6) Bid Enquiry No. KPTCL/SEE/EEE(O)/AEE-1/T(W&M)/MYS/Line-5 For Providing one number of intermediate tower in between location no 228("A+0" type) for increasing vertical clearance in the 220kV Kadakola-Kanniyanbetta S/C LINE IN Kakanakote forest area, H.D.Kote Taluk, Mysuru Dist in TLM Section Unit-2, TLM Sub division Mysuru TTK Basis. **(TENDER NOTIFICATION).**

The details regarding participation in the e-tendering process can be obtained by logging on to KPTCL website: **https://kptcl.karnataka.gov.**in with hyperlink "e Procurement KPTCL" or **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** on or after **04.03.2024.** Any other details can be had rom the office of the undersigned during office hours.

Sd/- **Superintending Engineer, (El.), Trans (W&M) Circle, KPTCL, I Floor, 'PrasaranaBhavana', N.R.Mohalla, Mysuru-570 007. Ph: 0821-2455018.**

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank
(A Government of India Undertaking)
Head Office: Bangalore

E-Auction Sale of Properties on 22.03.2024

Last date of EMD : 21.03.2024

ARM Branch-1, 2nd Floor, No.86, Spencer Tower, M.G. Road, Bangalore-560001. Ph: 080-25588028/ 25588641. E-mail: cb2366@canarabank.com

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described Immovable properties mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the Physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru of the Canara Bank, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on 22.03.2024 (10.30 AM to 11.00 AM)** through E-Auction underthe Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

For details with regard to E-Auction & digital signature please contact the service provider **M/s Canbank Computer Services Ltd. Contact no 9686196756 / 080-49352000, e-mail: euaction@ccsl.co.in**

The Reserve Price and Earnest Money Deposits details are as under & the Earnest Money Deposit shall be deposited **on or before 21.03.2024 at 5.00 pm** by way of DD favouring Authorized Officer, **Canara Bank ARM-1 Branch** or through online payment to Account No.**209272434 (IFSC CNRB0002366)** is as under. **(₹. in lakhs)**

Lot No	Name & Address of the Borrower / Guarantor / Mortgagor	Description of the immovable assets:	Total Dues	a. Reserve Price b. EMD c. Incremental Bid	Inspection date & time
1	**(1) M/S SRS Transport,** No. 53, 1st Main, Lakshmipuram, Ulsoor, Bengaluru-560008 **(2) Sri Thulasiram V,** S/o Vishwanath, No. 53, 1st Main Road, Behind C M H Road, Halasuru, Bengaluru-560008. **(3) Smt. Bhuvaneshwari T,** W/o Thulasiram V, No. 53, 1st Main Road, Behind C M H Road, Halasuru, Bengaluru-560008. **(4) M/s SRS Logistics & Warehousing,** No. 3208, 6th C , Main Road, 13th Cross, HAL II stage, Indira Nagar, Bengaluru-560038 **Also at M/s SRS Logistics & Warehousing,** No. B-45, 3rd Main, 1st Cross, Bommasandra Industrial Area, 1st Phase, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru – 560099.	All that piece and parcel of: **Property No 1:** Bearing municipal No 115, 114,113,112,111 &110(old no: 3A,4,5,6,7,8) PID No: 75-2-110, 75-2-111, 75-2-112, 75-2-113,75-2-114, 75-2-115 Cambridge road BBMP Jogupalya ward no 75, Halasuru Bangalore 560008 each measuring 200sq ft and in all measuring 1200 sqft and bounded on the East by Jogupalya main road, West by property of Sarvamangala, North by property belonging to Sri Sathisheshwar/ HS Rajeshwari/ RoopaSiddaraju and South by G 1st street. **Property no 2:** bearing municipal new no 2 (old no: 33-40) PID:75-44-2 Cambridge road BBMP Jogupalya ward no 75 Halasuru, Bangalore 560008 in all measuring 1723 sqft and bounded east by property belonging to Indumathi west by Cambridge road north by SV road/rnadras road and south by property belonging to Smt. Sarvamangala. **Property no 3:** Bearing municipal new no 3 (old no 26/32) PID no: 75-44-3 Cambridge road BBMP Jogupalya ward no 75 Halasuru, Bangalore-560008. in all measuring 4617 sqft and bounded on east by property belonging to Smt. Indumathi Shivaprasad, West by Cambridge road, North by property belonging to Sathisheshwar/ HS Rajeshwari/ Roopa Siddaraju and south by Kempamma temple.	**Rs. 18,05,93,343.37/- (Rupees Eighteen Crore Five Lakhs Ninety Three Thousand Three Hundred and Forty Three and Thirty Seven Paise Only) with further interest and cost thereon.**	a) ₹. 1168.70 b) ₹. 116.88 c) ₹.1.00	16/03/2024 10.00 AM to 2.00 PM. with Prior Appointment with Authorised Officer
2	**(1) M/s. Sri Udupi Park,** Sy no. 87, Alok Plaza, Sadarmangala Industrial area opposite ITPL, Whitefield Road Bangalore-560017. **(2) Mr. Keradi Chandrasekhar Shetty (Partner)** S/o Veeranna Shetty 4th Floor, Shree Enclave, Murugeshpalya, Old Airport road, Bangalore-560017. **(3) Mr. Sathish Shetty (Partner),** S/o Manjunatha Shetty, No. 209, C Wing, 2nd Floor, Trifecta Starlight Apartment, Mahadevapura, Bangalore-560048. **(4) Mr. Ravindra Sheena Mogaveera (Partner** S/o Sheena Mogaveera, No. 1409, C Wing, 4th Floor, Trifecta Starlight Apartment, Mahadevapura, Bangalore-560048 **(5) Mrs. Nagarathna G.(Partner)** W/o G Krishnamurthy, No. 18/2, 10th cross, Near Shanimahatma Temple, HAL 3rd Stage, Kodihalli, Bangalore- 560008.	All that piece of residential plot situated at No.95, PID no. 74-58-95 (Earlier bearing HASB Khata no. 207/B) in Sy no. 18/2 situated at Kodihalli Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore measuring 2090 sq.ft. and bounded: East- Private Property, West- Private Property, North- Private property, South- Road.	**Rs. 5,24,85,171.89 (Rupees Five Crore Twenty Four Lakhs Eighty Five Thousand One Hundred Seventy One and Eighty Nine Paise Only)as on 29.02.2024 with further interest and cost thereon.**	a) ₹. 177.48 b) ₹. 17.75 c) ₹.1.00	15/03/2024 10.00 AM to 2.00 PM. with Prior Appointment with Authorised Officer
3	**(1) M/S Jaya Shanmuga Projects Pvt Ltd, Rep by its Director Mr SVS Sudheer Babu,** No. 216/13, Suraj Towers 4th Floor 27th Cross Jayanagar 3rd Block Bengaluru-560011 **(2) M/S Jaya Shanmuga Infra Projects Pvt Ltd, Rep by its Director Mr SVS Sudheer Babu,** No. 216/13, Suraj Towers 4th Floor 27th Cross Jayanagar 3rd Block Bengaluru - 560011 **(3) M/s Jaya Shanmuga Homes Pvt Ltd, Rep by its Director Mr SVS Sudheer Babu,** No. 216/13, Suraj Towers 4th Floor 27th Cross Jayanagar 3rd Block Bengaluru-560011 **(4) M/s. S.V.S. Properties India Pvt Ltd, Rep by its Director Mr SVS Sudheer Babu,** No. 216/13, Suraj Towers 4th Floor 27th Cross Jayanagar 3rd Block Bengaluru-560011 **(5) Sri.SVS Sudheer Babu (Through Legal Heirs)** S/o Sri Lakshminarayana Solliety, R/a Flat No 301,3rd Floor, Nikhil Residency APT No 576 (P-1), 25th Cross, 39th Main Ideal Homes Township, Halagevaderahalli Rajeshwarinagar, Bengaluru-560098 **(6) Sri. Prashanth Raju** S/o Sri Changam Gopinath Raju, R/a 74, 3rd Main, 3rd Cross, B.T. M. Layout 2nd Stage, Bilekahalli, Dollars Layoaut Bengaluru-560076 **(7) Sri C. Sharath** S/o Sri S R Chilakari, R/a No. 216/13, Suraj Towers 4th Floor 27th Cross Jayanagar 3rd Block Bengaluru - 560011.	(1) Flat No. 301 at Nikhil Residency, R R Nagar, Bangalore in the name of Jaya Shanmuga Projects Pvt Ltd measuring 1607 Sft. Flat No. 304 at Nikhil Residency, R R Nagar, Bangalore in the name of Jaya Shanmuga Projects Pvt Ltd measuring 1131.91 Sft.	**Rs. 56,25,75,617.46 (Rupees Fifty Six Crore Twenty Five Lakhs Seventy Five Thousand Six Hundred Seventeen and Forty Six Paise Only) As 29.02.2024 with further interest and cost thereon.**	a) ₹. 70.40 b) ₹. 7.04 c) ₹.1.00 a) ₹. 50.60 b) ₹. 5.60 c) ₹.1.00	15/03/2024 10.00 AM to 2.00 PM. with Prior Appointment with Authorised Officer

Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale please refer the link "E-Auction" provided in Canara Bank's website (**www.canarabank.com**) or may contact, **ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru, Canara Bank, Ph. No. 9448507473 and 9627872626** during office hours on any working day.

Place: Bengaluru Date : 02.03.2024 **Sd/- Authorised Officer, Canara Bank**

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POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable Property)

Account No.14484011000311,144810IB00000070,14487121000172 from B/O: Bannerghatta (SOL:144810)

Whereas, the Authorized Officer of the **Punjab National Bank** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of Powers conferred under Section 13 read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, issued a demand notice dated **28.12.2023 calling upon M/s Maa Bhavani Stationery And Poly Pack Properitor : Mr.Nakul Singh** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.14,36,193.19** (Rupees Fourteen lakhs Thirty Six Thousand One Hundred and Ninety Three and Paise Nineteen Only) being the dues as on **30.09.2023** until payment in full within 60 days from the date of notice/date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower/mortgagor/guarantor and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on this **29.02.2024.**

The borrowers in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Punjab National Bank** for an amount of **Rs. 14,36,193.19** (Rupees Fourteen lakhs Thirty Six Thousand One Hundred and Ninety Three and Paise Nineteen Only) being the dues as on **30.09.2023** and interest / charges from **01/10/2023.**

The borrower's / guarantor's / mortgagor's attention is invited to provisions of section 13(8) of the Act in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.

Description of immovable property

SL	Facility	Security
1	Cash Credit, Term loan & Term Loan (GECL)	All that stocks comprising all types of Stationaries, Poly Materials, Raw Material in Process, Finished Goods, Book Debt and any other stocks which is purchased out of bank finance, at shop no. at Old No 222, New No-53/2, Dodda Gowdanapalya Main Road, Subramanyapura Post, Bangalore-560061. **Owned By:** M/s MAA Bhavani Stationery And Poly Pack, **Properitor:** Mr. Nakul Singh.

Date: 29.02.2024 **For Punjab National Bank (SECURED CREDITOR)**
Place: Bangalore **(Smt. E.Shivakumari)**
(Chief Manager) (Authorised Officer)

Ankita loses singles tie but wins doubles crown

Ankita Raina suffered a straight set (6-7 (4) 3-6) semifinal defeat to unseeded Yeonwoo Ku in the singles event of the ITF Women's Open but grabbed the doubles title with Kazakh partner Zhibek Kulambayeva, in Gurugram on Saturday. Later, Ankita joined hands with Kulambayeva to beat Jacqueline Cabaj Awad of Sweden and Justina Mikulskyte 6-4, 6-2.

I just try to focus on my game and give my 100 per cent. The result is not in our hands. But having those conversations gives a lot of confidence like you have interacted and gotten attached socially, there is no reason to be intimidated. There is no fear at all. —Anmol Kharb

Reigning national champ Anmol Kharb training at Sunrise Academy in Noida | PARVEEN NEGI

As Faridabad teenager takes the first step towards stardom, **Gomesh S** tries to find out about the academy she trains in and how her parents and coach are guiding her in her quest to become a champ

ANMOL RISE

Sunday Special

NAHI. Mujhe bas jahaan bhi jaana, apna best dena hai. Aur acche se khelna hai (Nothing of the sort. For me, wherever I go, I just want to give my best and play a good game)," smiles Anmol Kharb.

It's around 2 PM on Saturday. Away from the chaos of the national capital, the 17-year-old newest badminton sensation, who won the senior women's singles nationals late last year and helped India win their first medal at the Asian Team Championships recently, is sitting in the office of Sunrise Shuttlers Academy in sector 104, Noida. She is visibly tired after a gruelling training sessions.

As she always does, Anmol had started the day at 5 AM with power training — something she does with boxers in Faridabad — and then, came to the Sunrise Academy in Noida, finished two training sessions, from about 10.30 AM till 1.45 PM, before discussing about limelight and expectations she is facing now. Her answer, with an assured tone and a smile, was a simple "emphasis on playing well".

For someone interested in skating, Anmol initially took up badminton because it's an indoor sport and it's something that doesn't cause that many nicks and bruises like skating. After her dad Devender Kharb built a court in the Faridabad neighbourhood for her elder brother, it did not take long for the then 10-year-old to fall in love with the sport. Once her father saw her performances in local tournaments, Devender signed her up at the Sunrise Academy around two years ago. With Kusumm Singh as a coach, the academy has been in Noida since January 1, 2021.

The rise, however, was not easy. This is what Anmol's daily schedule looks like. She and her mother Rajbala, travels every day to Noida for training. Power training early in the morning and then back-to-back sessions with Kusumm at the academy. The coach had known Anmol from even earlier in Faridabad and continued to mentor her for a year as her ward. Year 2023 was a massive step up in every sense as she beat Tanvi Khanna to win her first senior nationals title at the age of 16. With the Badminton Association of India taking a plunge to include the teen prodigy from Haryana in the India team for the Asia Championships, Anmol showed no nerves. She won the clutch deciders to help the country clinch a historic gold in the women's category last month. The years of hard work and toil apart, it does not take long to identify what makes Anmol stand out — her confidence. Ask her whose game she likes, "my own" comes the answer. "I love Saina di's game. Mine is a bit similar to hers, but I love my game," she says.

Where does this confidence come from? The answer lies in her personality. From a young age, Anmol had been this "socially extroverted" kid. Devender would often find her chatting with some player or the other — contemporaries, seniors and even opponents — in some other court after matches.

The list of players she defeated in Malaysia is impressive. Even within the India team that had the likes of PV Sindhu, Treesa Jolly, Gayatri Gopichand and Ashmita Chaliha, all it took her was the first meeting to make friends and become the "pampered youngster". "On the first day we met, I made friends," says Anmol. The teenager was even prepared to dance in front of the team as is the tradition for any newcomer to break the ice within the squad. "Whenever newcomers are there, they will have to dance in front of the team. This time because of the finals everyone was focussed. Maybe, next time it might happen. For hours I was going through YouTube to see easy dance steps, and I did a bit of rehearsal with my roommate also," she laughs. Anmol's ability to make friends without any inhibition plays a significant role in what she does on the field. "I just try to focus on my game and give my 100 percent. The result is not in our hands. But having those conversations gives a lot of confidence like you have interacted and gotten attached socially, there is no reason to be intimidated. There is no fear at all," she explains.

Her coach Kusumm, who has constantly conversed with Anmol to not be star-struck, elaborates: "You can be a star for a while, but you are always human. It is important because if you give too much importance to someone, you forget who you are and your strength. Your opponent is just like you, but you cannot be intimidated by them. If you are, you cannot give your best and when you know your level?."

Of course Olympic is long-term, but World Championships, All England, Individual and team events like Sudhirman Cup, Uber Cup. And for that we need funds. For practice, for coaches salary, for physio, counselling sessions and sparring partners. International exposure to travel, to get ranking points and for every tournament you need money in lakhs. —Kusumm Singh, coach, on Anmol's needs

Dr. Ashok Ahuja, former head of Sports Medicine and Sciences at NIS, Patiala, says that Anmol's confidence and willpower to go through the grind has brought her this far. "At the senior level, we talk of mental toughness, I think, thankfully, she has got that innate mental makeup to take up any challenges. The moment when we see her in training, she is very particular about it. Immediately when she returned (from Malaysia) before even we could tell her that celebrations should be over soon, she said 'Sir, I went for my fitness in the morning'," says Ahuja, a mentor at the Sunrise Academy.

Rising star of Delhi

The other fascinating aspect of Anmol's rise to stardom is that she is one of the few to take the badminton world by storm from this part of the country. From 2010, barring Anupama Upadhyaya (2022, Haryana), no other women's singles national champion have emerged from the northern zone. Anmol's inspiration Saina, while born in Haryana grew up and made her name in Hyderabad. Ask Kusumm why is that the case, the 35-year-old coach explains: "That time (during her playing days) infrastructure was less and parents are protective about the girl child, because of lack of exposure. Whatever you do, you do for your future and career, right? Everyone would want to know, if they do this, what will happen in the future. Slowly, they started understanding. Tanvi is from Punjab, Anmol is from Haryana, and so are Anupama and Unnati Hooda. Slowly they are coming up because parents are aware, and the support system is better. The financial help is important. And more importantly, you will need the support early to match the early potential.

"Now, there are academies everywhere so they train there, but if you shift, the cost goes go up and when a girl child moves, the stress on parents goes up. Maybe, these are the reasons but they are relaxed now because of availability and affordability. There are more talented players now. My parents wanted me to shift to Hyderabad or Bengaluru but again in a family if you are not a single child, you have to take care of everyone and the family demands take precedence. The parents feel the helplessness but they don't tell or want to do for the kids," adds the coach, who is hoping Anmol gets good sponsors to pursue her craft in the circuit.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

Pacers help Mumbai restrict Tamil Nadu

ASHOK VENUGOPAL @ Chennai

A PROFESSIONAL display enabled Mumbai to bundle out Tamil Nadu for a paltry 146 on Day 1 of the semifinals of the Ranji Trophy at the BKC complex in Mumbai on Saturday. In reply, the hosts were 45 for 2. Both the Mumbai openers fell due to lack of application. Prithvi Shaw edged TN pacer Kuldeep Sen to Baba Indrajith at slips and then Bhupen Lalwani fell leg-before to R Sai Kishore.

Tushar Deshpande (3/24) was the pick of Mumbai bowlers breaking the visitors' top-order with accuracy and pace. Tamil Nadu skipper R Sai Kishore called the coin right and opted to bat on a wicket that had something to offer for pacers. But Sai Kishore backed his strong batting line-up.

B Sai Sudharsan, coming in after a long lay off due to back injury, was tentative and Shardul Thakur captalised trapping the ace batter right in front. Vijay Shankar (44) and Washington Sundar (43) were the only ones who could show some pluck, the rest perished due to pressure and poor shot selection. "Very pleased with the way we (Mumbai) played. It was a teamwork and we never expected to get Tamil Nadu out for 146. Actually, Tamil Nadu have the best batting lineup in the country right now and to get them all out on this score was a creditable job. We always wanted to restrict them (Tamil Nadu) to as low a score as possible," Deshpande told this daily.

BRIEF SCORES

At Mumbai: TN 146 in 64.1 ovs (Vijay 44, Washington 43; Deshpande 3/24) vs Mumbai 45/2 in 17 ovs (Musheer 24 batting).

At Nagpur: Vidarbha 170 in 56.4 ovs (Nair 63, Taide 39; Avesh 4/49) vs Madhya Pradesh 47/1 in 20 ovs (Himanshu 26 batting).

The CSK ace speedster accounted for the wickets of Pradosh, Sai Kishore and Baba Indrajith, who had had a great season this time. "All the three were good, But I actually wanted to take more wickets. But nevertheless the wicket of Sai Kishore gave a lot of satisfaction. I mean, Sai Kishore was sent (early) to see off the new ball and I was just visualizing the ball going through his gate, LBW or bowled, and the same thing happened. So I am happy with that one," added Tushar. Mumbai captain Ajinkya Rahane has been leading from the front by making shrewd bowling changes. "Rahane reads the situation well. He did well to restrict Tamil Nadu. But still it's an open game. We have to bat well and then again bowl well because we know how good the Tamil Nadu batting lineup is," said Tushar.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

Mumbai players during Day 1 against Tamil Nadu on Saturday | PTI

EXPRESS READ

Pragg draws with Nguyen in 4th Round

PRAGUE: The Indian trio of R Praggnanandhaa, D Gukesh and Vidit Gujrathi played out draws on a dull fourth round day in the Prague Masters Chess tournament here. It was time for some recovery for Praggnanandhaa after two back-to-back losses and the Indian just played a solid game to sign peace with local hopeful Nguyen Thai Dai Van.

F1: Verstappen wins Bahrain Grand Prix

SAKHIR (BAHRAIN): Formula 1 champion Max Verstappen eased to victory in the season-opening Bahrain Grand Prix on Saturday.Verstappen started on pole position and was never seriously challenged on his way to a one-two win for Red Bull ahead of his teammate Sergio Perez. Carlos Sainz Jr. was third for Ferrari after fighting hard with teammate Charles Leclerc.

BFC's Javi Hernandez (c) celebrates after scoring against Kerala on Saturday | ISL

Bengaluru stay in playoffs hunt with win over Kerala

AGENCIES @ Bengaluru

BENGALURU FC are into the top-six, to fuel their playoffs qualification aspirations with a 1-0 victory against Kerala Blasters FC at the Sree Kanteerava Stadium in the Indian Super League. With 21 points from 18 games, Bengaluru have displaced Jamshedpur FC from the sixth spot in the standings.

ISL

The 3 points came as a result of a late 89th-minute winner by Bengaluru's Spanish midfielder Javi Hernandez, who tapped in a strike set up by Shivaldo Singh. Kerala kept Bengaluru at bay, but Hernandez finally got into the position to convert a chance that earned the home side three points.

Bengaluru skipper Sunil Chhetri was at the forefront for long durations of the game for his side, forming a formidable partnership with Ryan Williams to find multiple breakthroughs into the Kerala Blasters' defence. Williams got behind the defence, producing several important opportunities that Chhetri fell short of pouncing.

Earlier, Mumbai City FC levelled league-leaders Odisha FC in the points table with a hard-fought 3-2 victory against the high-flying Punjab FC at the Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium in New Delhi.

Santosh Trophy: Mizoram confirm quarterfinal spot

ITANAGAR: Mizoram confirmed their spot in the quarterfinals of the Santosh Trophy with a comprehensive 4-0 win against Railways at the Golden Jubilee Stadium here on Saturday. While the four teams to make it to the knockout stages from Group A were already confirmed on Friday, three of the Group B sides — Manipur, Delhi, and Railways — started on Saturday, having already qualified.

Delay in Canada visa updates gives FIDE headache

SWAROOP SWAMINATHAN @ Chennai

FIDE, the world governing body for chess, put together an extraordinary appeal late on Friday night as they urged the Canadian government to issue visas to players who have qualified for the Candidates. The elite eight player competition identities the challenger for the World Championship match later year. Both Candidates events (open and women) are scheduled to be in Toronto from April 3 to 22

On X (formerly Twitter), they wrote: "Regrettably, players from various countries worldwide, who submitted their visa applications [a] few months ago, have not yet received any updates on their status," the body said. "With only a month remaining till the FIDE Candidates Tournament, there are grave concerns about the timely arrival of the players to Toronto." They tagged the official account of the Minister of Immigration, Marc Miller, in the appeal. Emil Sutovsky, FIDE CEO, while sharing the appeal on X, tagged the account of Justin Trudeau, the Canadian PM.

In a separate email to this daily, FIDE confirmed that four out of the five Indian players are yet to hear any updates about their visa status. "We can confirm that four out of five Indian players did not receive a reply from Immigration Canada, despite timely submitting their application," the body.

It's understood that the brother-sister duo of R Vaishali and R Pragnnanandhaa are among the four. "Pragg, Vaishali and coach have submitted biometrics," their trainer RB Ramesh told this daily. "They are supposed to send us the date to submit passport and it will take 10 working days after that to get visa. Time is very short." As it stands, they plan to leave to Toronto on March 29.

Canada and India had a much documented diplomatic row last year after Trudeau publicly said that the latter was involved in the killing of Hardeep Singh Nijjar, a Canadian citizen who batted for a separate Sikh state (New Delhi has continued to deny the allegations). Since the accusation, both countries have cut down diplomatic links. For a brief while, India had suspended visa services but it's running now. While one cannot say with certainty if this current standoff between the two countries is a reason for the delay, players from other countries too have been affected. In all, about 40 people are still waiting for their visas to attend the tournament. "If we don't have some significant progress in one week, it's cancelled," was how Vladimir Drkulec, president of the Chess Federation of Canada, summed up the situation to the Toronto Star, a Canadian daily. "You can't have a Candidates tournament without the Candidates."

Players from three other countries have also been impacted. "Players from four countries are impacted (not only India or Russia)," Sutovsky posted on X after FIDE's appeal. "We hope to get a reply from Canadian authorities within a week, not willing to move the event we were diligently preparing together with an outstanding LOC, but we do have plan B."

Liverpool score late goal to sink Forest in EPL

AGENCIES @ London

Liverpool striker Darwin Nunez scored a huge goal in the English Premier League title race, netting in the ninth minute of stoppage time to beat Nottingham Forest 1-0 and move his team four points clear on Saturday. The Uruguay striker came off the bench and glanced home a header to end Liverpool's 40-year wait for a victory at the City Ground.

Second-placed City will look to restore the gap to Liverpool to one point by beating Manchester United at home in the derby on Sunday.

Results: Everton **1-3** West Ham; Nottm Forest **0-1** Liverpool; Tottenham **3-1** C Palace; Newcastle **3-0** Wolves; Brentford **2-2** Chelsea.

Indian boxers seek all-important Olympic quotas in Italy

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Chennai

INDIAN boxers will be in focus in the coming days as they aim to book their tickets for the upcoming Paris Olympics. A total of nine pugilists — seven men, two women — from the country will be taking part in the 1st World Olympic Boxing Qualification Tournament in Busto Arsizio. The bouts are set to commence from Sunday and are expected to go until March 11.

It goes without saying this is a huge event for the Indians, especially for men, who are yet to clinch a single quota so far. Deepak Bhoria (51kg), two-time Olympian Shiva Thapa (63.5kg) and World Championships bronze medallist Mohammad Hussamuddin (66kg) are some of the familiar faces who would want to change that narrative.

All the selected pugilists were handpicked after a series of tests (national meet & national camp) in the build-up to this event. They'll be intent on repaying the faith put on them by the coaches.

Hussamuddin is one who has a compelling story. His aforementioned World Championships bronze medal came at a big cost. He had torn his ACL during the said event and was forced to away from the sport for a long time. That meant he was not part of the Asian Games, an event which had Olympic quotas on offer. Having returned to national camp in late December, he knew he had a mountain to climb. "It will be tough for me. But I'm confident of doing well. The treatment also went well so I'm looking forward to the challenge," he had told this daily then. Having passed the first challenge during the national camp, he will now be determined to make the most of this opportunity.

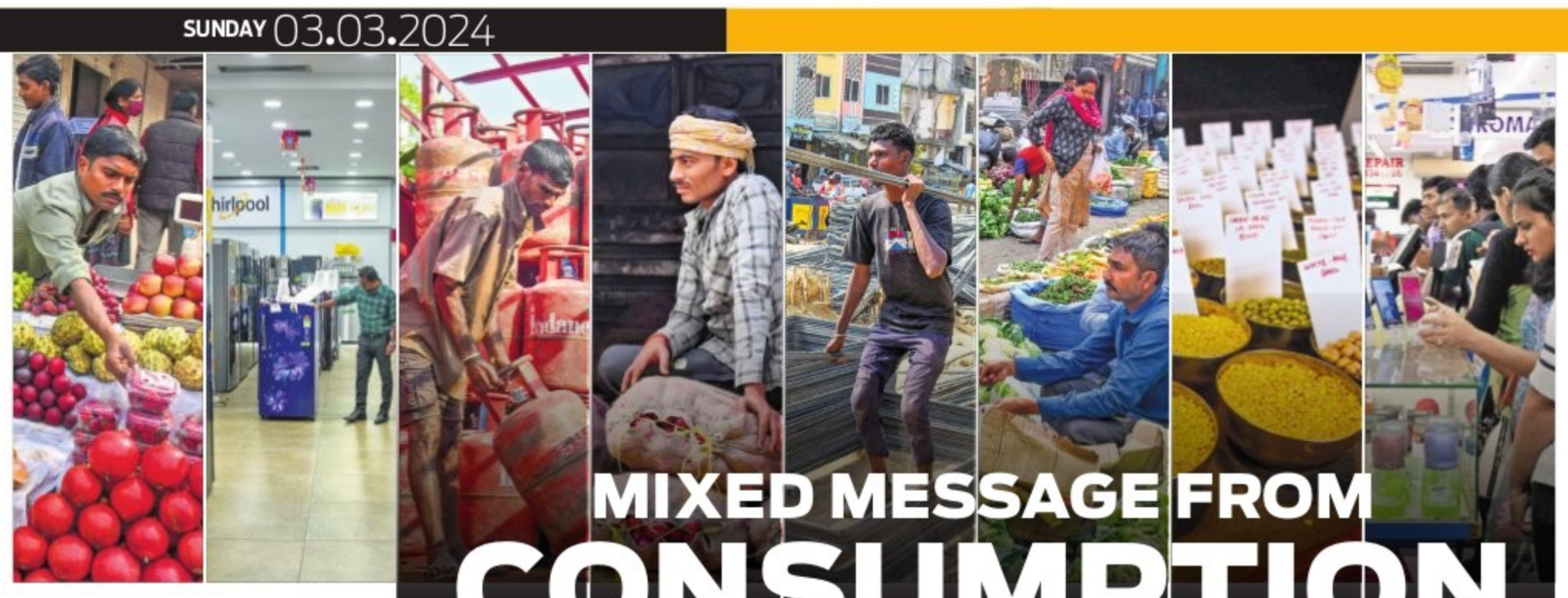
M Hussamuddin Nishant Dev

For Deepak, this is a second chance (after losing in Round of 16 in Asiad) to earn an Olympic quota. He has been given the nod over Amit Panghal.

As was evident during his World Championships run (bronze medal) in 2023, Nishant Dev (71kg) is another talent who has the tools in his game to challenge for quotas. He is happy with the work that the team has put in during the build-up and ready to put his best foot forward. Lakshya Chahar (80kg), Sanjeet Kumar (92kg), Narender Berwal (+92kg), Jaismine Lamboria (women's 60kg) and Ankushita Boro (women's 66kg) are the other pugilists from the country who'll be looking to make a name for themselves.

A total of 49 quotas (21 for women, 28 for men) will be up for grabs during the event).

The bottom 5% of India's rural population, ranked by MPCE, has an average MPCE of ₹1,441 while it is ₹2,087 in the urban areas. The top 5% of India's rural and urban population, ranked by MPCE, has an average MPCE of ₹10,581 and ₹20,846, respectively. Among the UTs, MPCE is the highest in Chandigarh (rural ₹7,467 and urban ₹12,575), whereas, it is the lowest in Ladakh (₹4,035) and Lakshadweep (₹5,475) for rural and urban areas, respectively



MIXED MESSAGE FROM CONSUMPTION EXPENDITURE SURVEY

DIPAK MONDAL @ New Delhi

THE Household Consumption Expenditure Survey results, which were announced after 11 years, have already led to a series of claims and counterclaims–with either side cherry-picking data to establish their points.

And while the inferences from the survey would be hotly debated, the results of the much-awaited 2022-23 survey can be summed up in three larger points – shrinking gap between rural and urban consumption; increased spending by households in non-food items and a persistent sluggishness in household consumptions.

The survey and its significance

The National Sample Survey Office (NSSO) has been conducting household surveys on consumption/consumer expenditure at regular intervals. From 1950-51 to 1973-74, the surveys were done once every year. Later, the NSSO decided to conduct the surveys on consumer expenditure and employment-unemployment together on a large scale, once every five years.

This five-year chain broke in 2017-18, when the government decided not to release the survey reports citing several errors. According to a leaked portion of the report, the consumption expenditures were showing a decline from 2011-12 levels. Nonetheless, the latest survey results are finally out, though a detailed unit-level report is yet to be released.

According to the factsheet released by the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation (MOSPI), the survey has covered the whole of India except a few inaccessible villages in the Andaman and Nicobar Islands. Information in the survey has been collected from 8,723 villages and 6,115 urban blocks spread over the entire country covering 2,61,746 households (1,55,014 in rural areas and 1,06,732 in urban areas).

In order to ensure proper representation of households of different economic categories, all the households of a selected village/urban block were classified into three groups depending on a criterion based on land possessed in rural areas and possession of car in urban areas as on the date of the survey.

The consumption basket of items was divided into three broad categories–food items, consumables and services items, and durable goods. The method of data collections and questions asked underwent several changes since the last survey in 2011-12. Three sets of questionnaires were used–one each for three categories of items mentioned earlier. In 2011-12, 347 items were covered under the questionnaires. For 2022-23, several items were removed, merged and new items were included. The 2022-23 questionnaires covered 405 items.

Another big change in the method of data collection was the number of visits by the NSSO officials made to each household. Instead of a single monthly visit in a quarter, as was the norm earlier, in 2022-23, the officials paid visits three times in a quarter to each household. In the absence of credible income data, India has been using the consumption expenditure data to evaluate the poverty situation in India. Since the 2017-18 survey report was never published, there was a big debate over the poverty level in India for the past couple of years.

Key survey results

The survey shows that the average monthly per capita consumption (in current prices) in rural areas was ₹3,773 and ₹6,459 in urban areas, almost 2.5 times the monthly consumption recorded in 2011-12. The rural consumption (₹1,430 per month in FY2012) has grown at a slightly higher pace than in urban areas (₹2,630 in FY23).

However, much of the growth in monthly consumption over the previous decade is because of inflation. In real terms, monthly per capita consumption grew by only 1.3 times in urban areas and 1.4 times in rural areas. At 2011-12 prices, the same expenditure stood at Rs 2,008 in rural India and Rs 3,510 in urban India in 2022-23. The per capita income in nominal terms has grown by 2.7 times and 1.55 times between 2011-12 and 2022-23. This shows that the consumption growth has not been commensurate with growth in per capita income during the period, insinuating what is widely known now — a slowdown in household consumption.

"While a more detailed report is on the way, the preliminary data show a marked deceleration in household consumption, both in nominal and real terms, in line with our assertion that domestic demand is weakening based on multiple high-frequency data and various surveys," says Kunal Kundu, India economist at Societe Generale.

One of the highlights of the survey was the reducing gap between rural and urban household consumption spending. In 2022-23, the average urban household was spending 71.2% higher than its rural counterpart. The difference was 84% in 2011-12 and 90% in 2004-05. The difference between urban and rural consumption grows at the top. The consumption spending by the richest 5% in villages is half of that in the urban areas. The difference is less than 50% among the poorest 20% of the urban and rural population.

The bottom 5% of India's rural population has an average monthly per capita consumption expenditure (MPCE) of ₹1,373 while it is ₹2,001 for the same category of population in the urban areas. The top 5% of India's rural and urban population has an average MPCE of ₹10,501 and ₹20,824, respectively.

The 'inequality' at the top should be a cause of concern for the policymakers. The survey also shows a sharp drop in consumption spending in food items. The average monthly rural spending on food items has come down from 53% of the total in 2011-12 to 42% in 2022-23. In urban areas, the monthly spending on food items has fallen from 43% in 2011-12 to 39% in 2022-23. The share of expenditure on cereals has fallen from 11% in 2011-12 to 5% in 2022-23 in rural areas while the same has fallen from 6.67% to 3.64% in urban areas.

"More aspirational behaviour can also be seen through the rise in the share of items like fruits, milk, consumer services, entertainment and durable goods across both cohorts," says Madhavi Arora, lead economist, Emkay Global.

She also points out that while spending on food has reduced, the share of proteins in total food spending has increased, to the extent that rural households are now spending a greater share of their food budget on proteins than urban ones.

The drop in spending on food items, especially cereals, could also be attributed to implementation of the Food Security Act, which initially offered 5 kg of food grains to each family member at subsidised rates. Later, the scheme was merged with the Prime Minister Garib Kalyan Anna Yojna that started at the peak of Covid outbreak in April 2020. Under the PM Garib Kalyan Anna Yojna, 80 crore people receive 5 kg food grains per person per month free of cost.

According to the survey results, when the imputed values of items received free of cost through social transfer are included, the average rural consumption per capita per month goes up to ₹3,860 (from ₹3,773), and ₹6,521 (from ₹6,459) in urban areas.

The change in the consumption trends witnessed in the latest Household Survey report may also lead to change in the way Consumer Price Index (CPI) is calculated. Currently, the weight of food and beverages in the Consumer Price Index is 54% for rural areas and 36% for urban areas. Weight of cereals in rural and urban CPI is 12.35% and 9.67%, respectively. Based on the latest survey's findings, analysts believe there is a strong case for revision of the weights to different categories of goods and services in the CPI.

However, the government would wait for results of the second survey, which is likely to be completed in July 2024, before it changes the CPI, which measures retail inflation.

Evaluating the poverty level

Now that the initial results of the consumption survey have arrived, there has been a rush to arrive at the country's poverty levels. The day after the initial survey reports were announced (late night on 24th February), Niti Aayog CEO B V R Subrahmanyam in hurriedly called press briefing for a select few journalists made the claim that poverty levels in the country could have been closer to 5%, based on the consumption survey data. He also made the claim that the rural deprivation has almost disappeared if one looked at the consumption data.

The poverty level arrived at based on the 2011-12 consumption survey was 22%. However, experts and statisticians are not yet ready to draw any conclusion on the poverty levels of the country unless they see the unit level data, which is yet to be released.

According to Amit Basole, Professor of Economics and Head, Centre for Sustainable Employment at Azim Premji University, the Niti Aayog CEO's assertion is based on a very rough calculation. Basole says Niti Aayog CEO is basing his claims on the distribution of the average monthly per capita expenditure among fractile classes (0-5%, 5-10%, etc). And he is taking ₹60 per day per person as the poverty line (₹1,800 per person per month). "Better to wait till the unit level data is released and a better poverty line is constructed based on the new consumption basket," says Basole.

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Short Tender Notification

The Executive Engineer, District Urban Develoment Cell, Belagavi District invites tender in two cover system using KW-2,3 & 4 Documents for Belagavi District under Chief Minister Amrut Nagarothana (Municipality) Phase-4 Project works as detailed below:-

Sl No	Description of works	Amount Put to Tender (Excluding GST)	Earnest Money Deposit	No of Call
1	Construction of required additional works to 24/7 water supply project, Supply & Erection of Pump set, Raising main, distribution pipeline, construction of Water StorageTank & Other Works in CMC GOKAK (Tender No.DMA/2023-24/WS/WORK_INDENT15307)	333.26	6.00	2nd
2	Construction of Road, Drain and Toilet Works in TMC GHATAPRABHA limits (24.10% 7.25% & 5% Grant). (Tender No.DMA/2023-24/OW/WORK_INDENT15306)	131.87	2.33	3rd
3	Construction of Road, Drain, Pour Karmikas Rest House, Toilet and Pipeline Works in TMC MUGALKHOD limits (Tender No. DMA/2023-24/OW/WORK_INDENT15323)	142.36	2.53	3rd
4	Demolish of Old TMC Building and Construction of new Commecial Complex near Bazar, Construction of Bus Shelters, Construction of Toilets and Supply & Erection of Sewage Pipeline from Gokak falls toilet no.06 to septic tank no.11, from lalasab temple to toilet no.4 & from septic tank no.03 banger galli to dobighat P.L line Works in TMC KONNUR limits (Tender No.DMA/2023-24/BD/WORK_INDENT15203)	127.09	2.25	2nd
5	Construction of Road and Check Dam in TMC KONNUR limits (Tender No. DMA/2023-24/OW/WORK_INDENT15183)	59.30	1.19	2nd
6	Construction of Pure Drinking Water Units near Bus stand at Ward No.01, near Sangappa Yadavannavar house at Ward No.9, near Unni Basaveshwar Temple at Ward No.13 & near Hanuman Temple in Nashi Tota at Ward No.21 and Supply & Erection of Pipeline from Vithal Temple to Kurade Oni, Sanatippagol Oni & Naduvinkeri Oni at Ward No.03 in TMC MUGALKHOD limits. (Tender No.DMA/2023- 24/WS/WORK_INDENT15321)	29.25	0.58	5th
7	Supply & Erection of Main Pipe line from Malaprabha River Jackwell to Navecha Road in TP KHANAPUR limits. (Tender No.DMA/2023-24/WS/WORK_INDENT15271)	22.75	0.50	6th
8	Construction of Toilet near Tahasildhar Ofice Compound, Development of Varde Colony Gardens, Dr. BR Ambedkar Garden and Jamboti Circle Hutatma Chowk in TP KHANAPUR limits. (Tender No.DMA/2023-24/WS/WORK_INDENT15286)	13.49	0.34	4th
9	Construction of Road, Drain and Arch Works in TP KHANAPUR limits. (24.10, 7.25 & 5 Percent). (Tender No.DMA/2023-24/OW/WORK_INDENT15274)	65.98	1.32	4th
10	Construction of Road and Toilet Works in TP PEERANWADI limits. (7.25% & 5%). (Tender No.DMA/2023-24/OW/WORK_INDENT15328)	24.24	0.50	2nd
11	Supply and Errection of LT line and Highmast in TMC SADALAGA Limits. (Tender No.DMA/2023-24/EL/WORK_INDENT15738)	83.14	1.66	1st
12	Construction of Over Head Tank and Pipe line near Government High School in TP NAGANUR limits(Tender No. DMA/2023-24/WS/WORK_INDENT15387)	56.55	1.13	3rd
13	Construction of Over Head Tank near MJ Nagar Sai Temple/Ayyappa Swami Temple at ward no 12 and on struction of R.O Plants near Union Bank back side PW Quarters at ward no 5 & in Mali gslli/Kumbar galli at ward no 5 in TP RAIBAG limits 13 (Tender No. DMA/2023-24/CT/WORK_INDENT16667)	56.56	1.13	3rd

Contractors can download and submit the tenders through Karnataka Public Procurement portal at https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in/#/portal/portal-home. Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) and Tender Processing Fee shall also be paid electronically. Calendar of Events and other information are as follows:

Last Date for submission of tenders	:	11-03-2024 up to 17.00 hrs.
Date of Opening of Tenders (Technical Bids)	:	13-03-2024 at 10.30 hrs.

Postponement of calendar of events (if any) is only through e-Procurement portal and will not be published in newspapers

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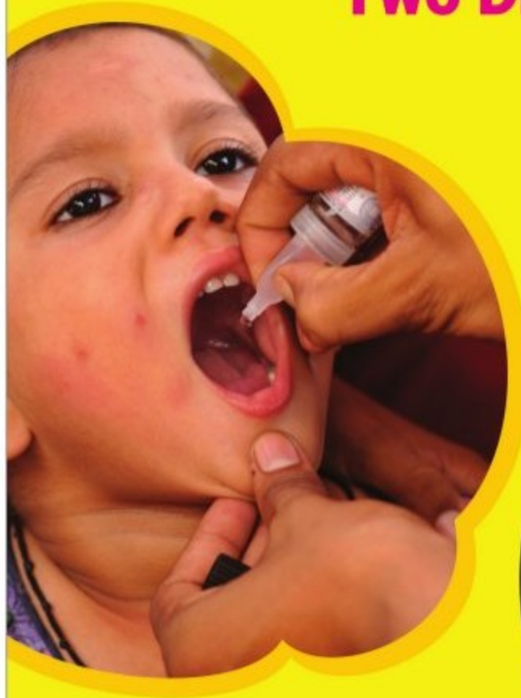

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